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Foreword

The Wheel of Fortune has made another turn, the
Goddess of Duty has dealt her decree, the
die has been cast and the

Thirteenth Volume of the
Pine Burr

has sprung into existence. To the best of our ability, we have
labored to set forth herein the life of the school during
this year of nineteen twenty-five. We have done
our best--we offer no apologies.

Dedication

To our loyal friend, our faithful helper, our
competent adviser and above all
to one we all admire and esteem, the Senior
Class of 1925 considers it an honor to
dedicate the Thirteenth Volume
of The Pine Burr to

Miss Claire Elizabeth Andrews

(MR. MAC'S SECRETARY)

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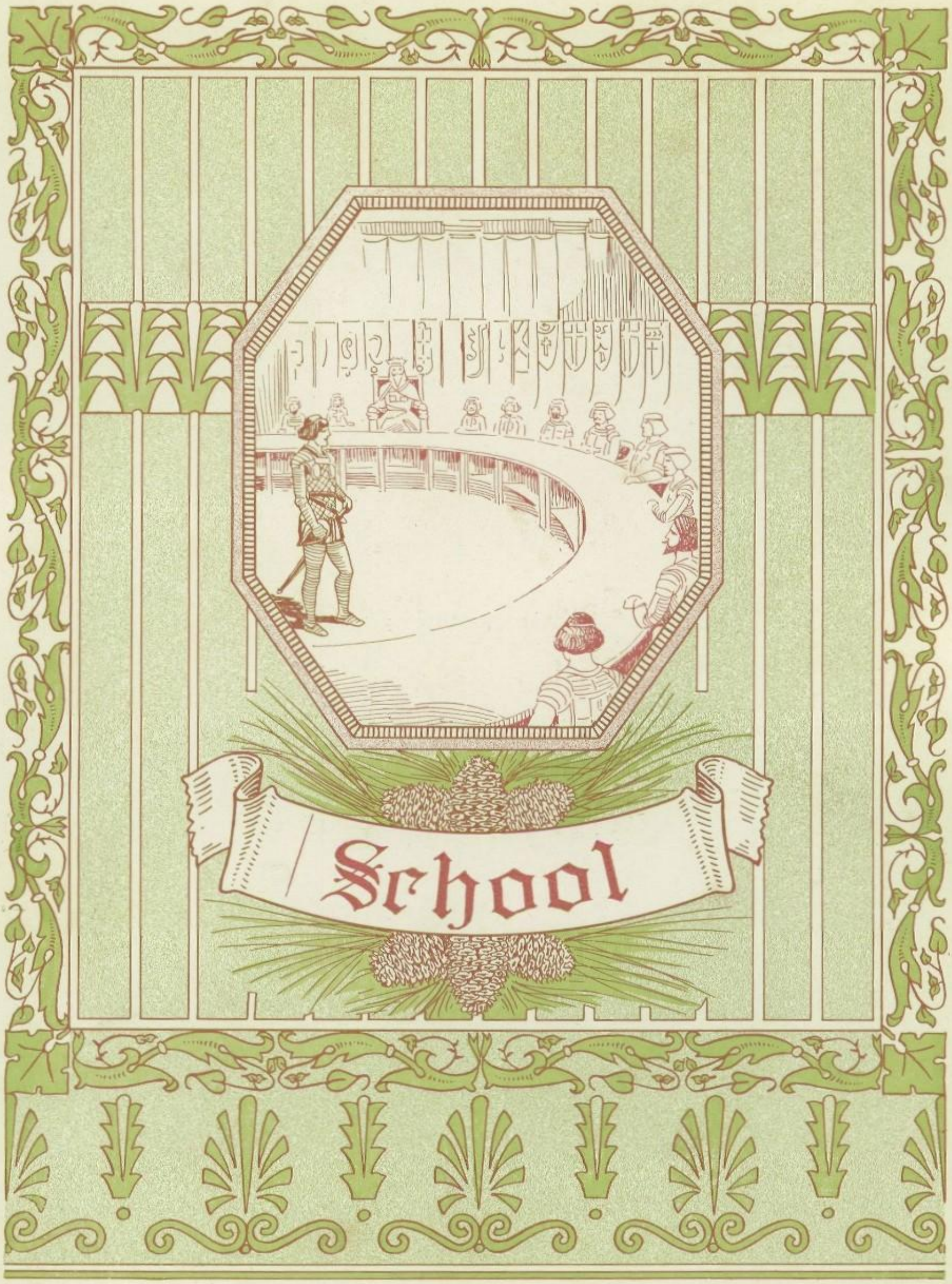
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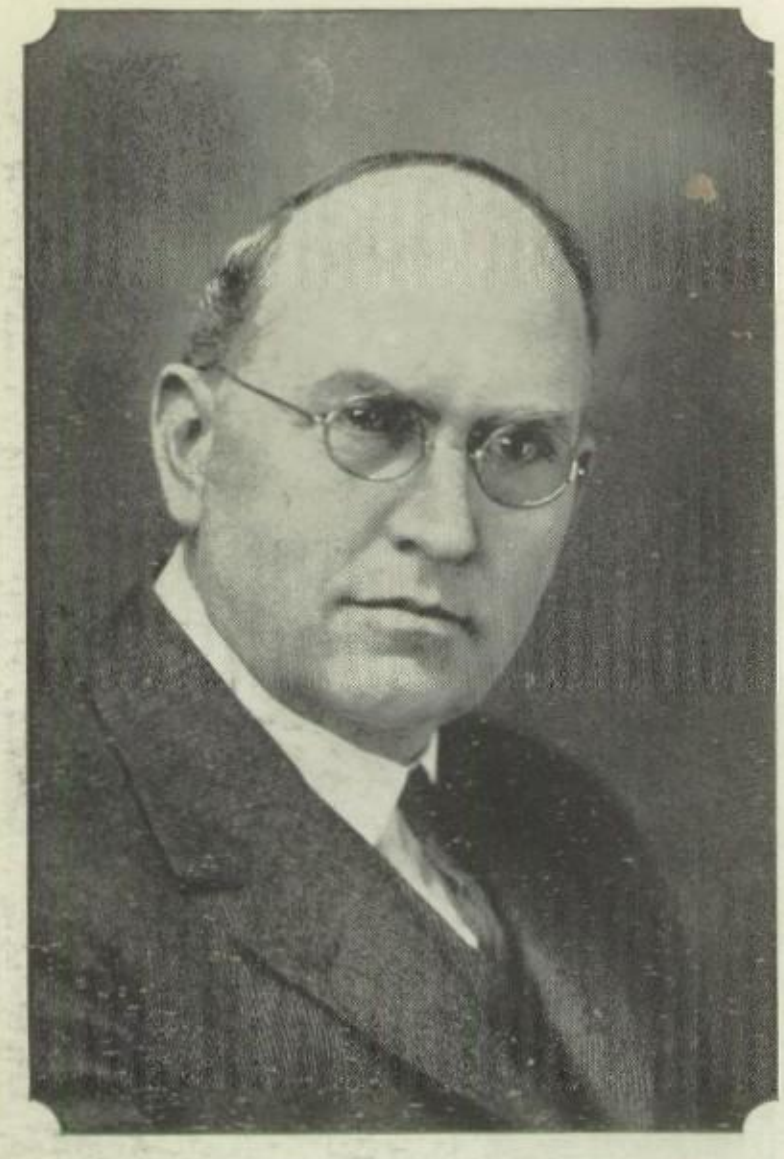

M. E. MOORE

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SUPERINTENDENT

One of Beaumont's greatest assets is our present school system, and to no one is more credit due for this accomplishment than to Mr. Moore. Since his coming in 1919, great improvement and progress have been made in the schools here, and they have kept stride for stride with the growth of the city.

A little of Mr. Moore's history before coming to Beaumont might be of interest. He is a native of Tennessee, having been born and reared about twenty-five miles from Nashville. He received his primary and elementary education at Orlinda Normal Academy, located at Orlinda, Tennessee, and finished his A. B. degree work while serving as principal of Highland Institute. His first experience as superintendent was in a small Oklahoma town, Marietta, where he remained five years. In 1912 he was elected superintendent of city schools of Leavenworth, Kansas, which position he held until coming to Beaumont. While in Kansas, he completed his Master's degree during three summers' work at the Kansas University.

In 1919 Mr. Moore came to Beaumont to take the position in which he was now very experienced—that of Superintendent of Public Schools. His work here has been a series of improvements, and he has built up a school system worthy of a city many times this size. He is a scientific physchologist, and each change he has made in the system has had its foundation in a thorough knowledge of child physchology.

Mr. Moore's accomplishments for our city have become familiar to Beaumonters, but few realize that our superintendent is also eminent among the educators of the country. His work has been nationally recognized on several occasions, and this in no small way. One honor accorded him was an article in the Literary Digest of experiments in the Leavenworth schools, in which his work and picture were featured. An educational survey, one of the first made of a small city, was made of the Leavenworth schools while they were under his supervision. This survey may be found in the libraries of Columbia University, Berkley, Kansas, and many others, and is used in the educational departments of these institutions.

In 1924 Mr. Moore read a paper before the National Educational Association, and also served on a committee of that body. He has also written a book, published in 1923 by the McMillan Company, the title of which is "Parent, Teacher, Child." This book is widely used throughout the East, more so, perhaps, than in any other section, and is considered by the best authorities as the foremost of its kind. It is in constant use at many of the best universities, and is also studied by many Parent-Teacher Associations.

In Beaumont Mr. Moore is one of our most prominent citizens, being very active in civic clubs and church work, and is known to practically everyone in the city. He so favored our B. H. S. that he located his own offices here, and his genial countenance is familiar to every student. In his address s to the student body he is a source of inspiration, as well as a most interesting speaker. The respect and regard which the students have for him were well brought out by the sympathy and interest manifested in his recent near-tragic accident, and by the many floral offerings sent by the various classes. "How is Mr. Moore today?" was a frequent question in those dark days when his condition was considered dangerous.

Beaumont is indeed fortunate in having so capable and experienced a man at the head of our schools, and may the schools and Mr. Moore continue to prosper here and together for many years to come.

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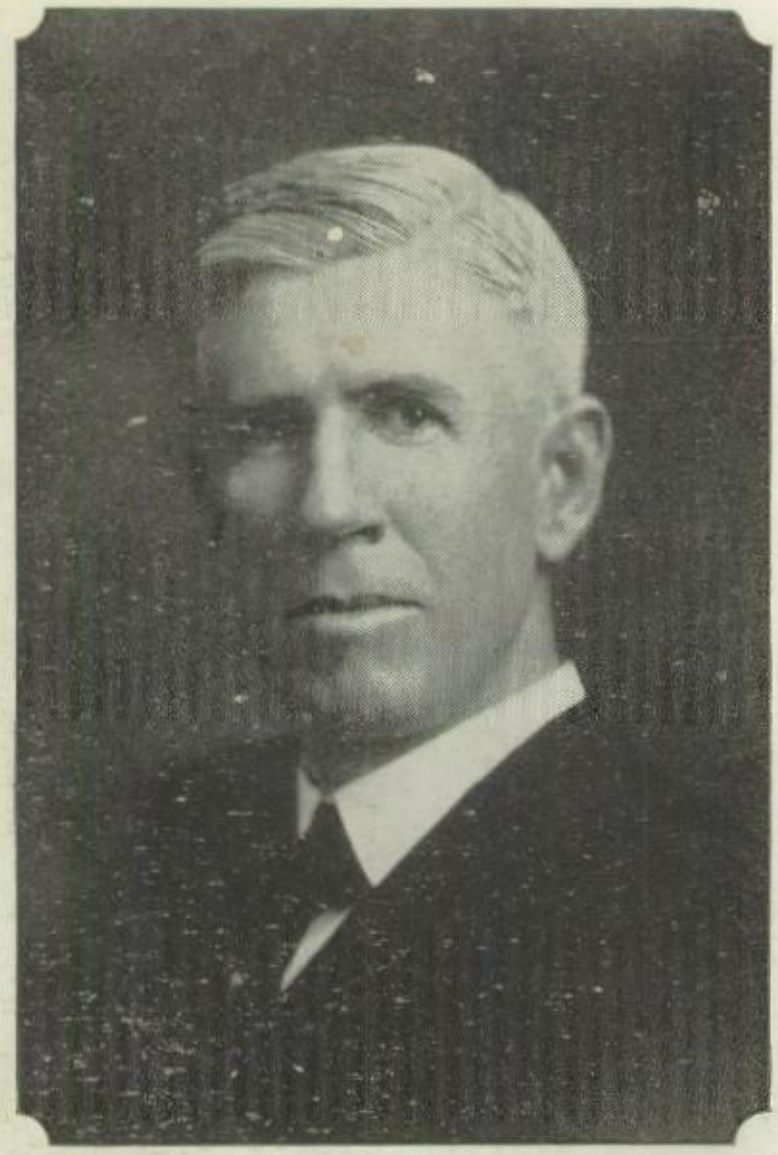
To the men and women who comprise our Board of Education, we owe much. Theirs is a sacrifice of time and service in order that we may have the best and be the best. If for no other reason than to honor them, we should rise to our greatest possibilities.



E. C. McDANALD

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PRINCIPAL

Wasn't George Washington fortunate in having the same birthday as that man Eugene Chester McDanald? Yes, their birthdays were in the same state, too, though not in the same state of mind Mr. McDanald said.

The home in which E. C. McDanald was reared was a broad farm on the banks of the Cow-pasture River in Virginia. He gained his first experience in school work after he had done the many tasks to be found on farms. he plowed, he hoed, he tended tobacco crops, he helped harvest, and in fact he learned the joys of a farm. The professional life he thought offered the more desirable field of endeavor, and what he aimed for, he worked for.

His college experience netted him a degree from Hampden Sidney College; but not content, he later added the names of University of Virginia, Peabody College of Tennessee, and University of Chicago to his list of Alma Maters. He began his teaching career as professor of Latin and Greek in Prichett College in Missouri. After that he was principal of schools in Oklahoma, Kentucky, Gainsville, Texas, and then Beaumont got him.

He did not inherit an easy task when he began his work in Beaumont. Seven years ago did not see the accommodations that we now have. Our schools were crowded, uncomfortably crowded. The classes were too large and there were many other difficulties that presented themselves. Mr. "Mac" has ever had before him the aim to so adjust conditions that each individual pupil can exercise his or her greatest ability. He wants to hold before the pupils the more lasting satisfactions to be derived from the keener appreciation of life. He would like to help each student to determine what kind of a niche he wants to occupy, and then help that student prepare himself for that place.

E. C. McDanald is a man. He is a well balanced man in his various interests. He is a student of books, but he is a student of life too. Then he is not too much of a student to live.

The Rotarians valued him enough to send him to San Francisco as their representative. As a citizen he is interested in whatever is best for Beaumont. He has a lovable wife and two splendid children, and we can think of no one else who is more appreciated as a fine Christian character.

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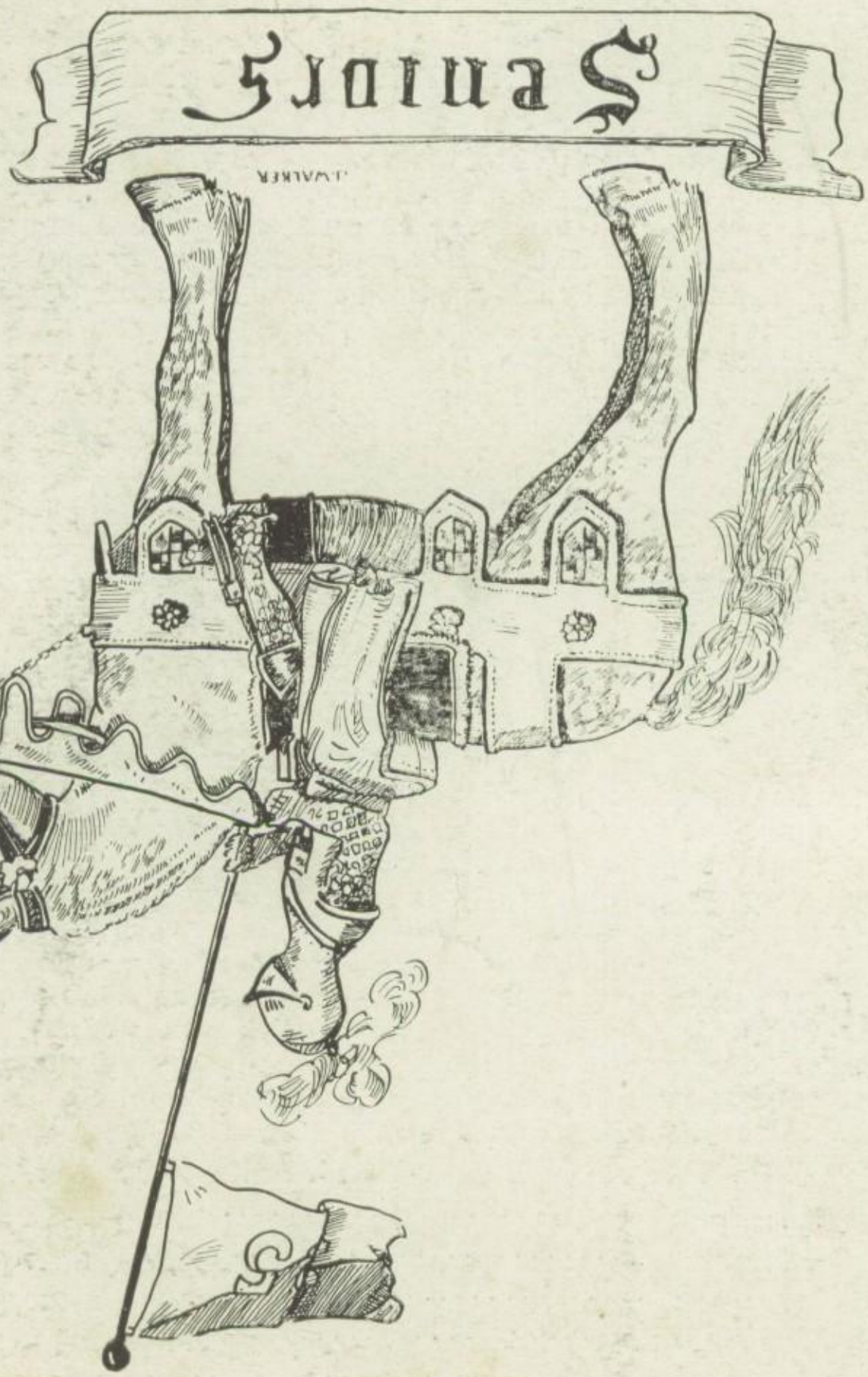
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J. WALKER

THE CLASS OF '25

ED BEULAR ..... *President*
SMYTH WALDEN ..... *Vice-President*
DOROTHY SEALE ..... *Secretary*
LANOS WATSON ..... *Treasurer*
ALLAN BUCK ..... *Sergeant-at-Arms*

'Way back in the dim fall of '21 when the flapper hadn't yet begun to flap and the jellies weren't yet thoroughly conjealed, a crowd of eager youngsters came jostling up the steps of that seat of wisdom, Beaumont High School. The boys were still in knickerbockers and the girls had unabbreviated curls and abbreviated hose (since then they have learned to abbreviate both). We were ignorant then, but eager to learn, and were proud of the fact that the Freshman Class of '21 was the biggest one to ever darken (or brighten) the doors of B. H. S. Our false pride was soon taken out of us by the Seniors of '21. Yes, we suffered the fate of all Freshmen. We were buffeted, bruised, kidded and made generally miserable. When picking out our courses, we blithely chose Latin and Algebra, thinking they would be no harder than our ward school subjects—but, oh! how bitter our disillusicnment! We finally got through, however, thanks to the patience and encouragement of our teachers.

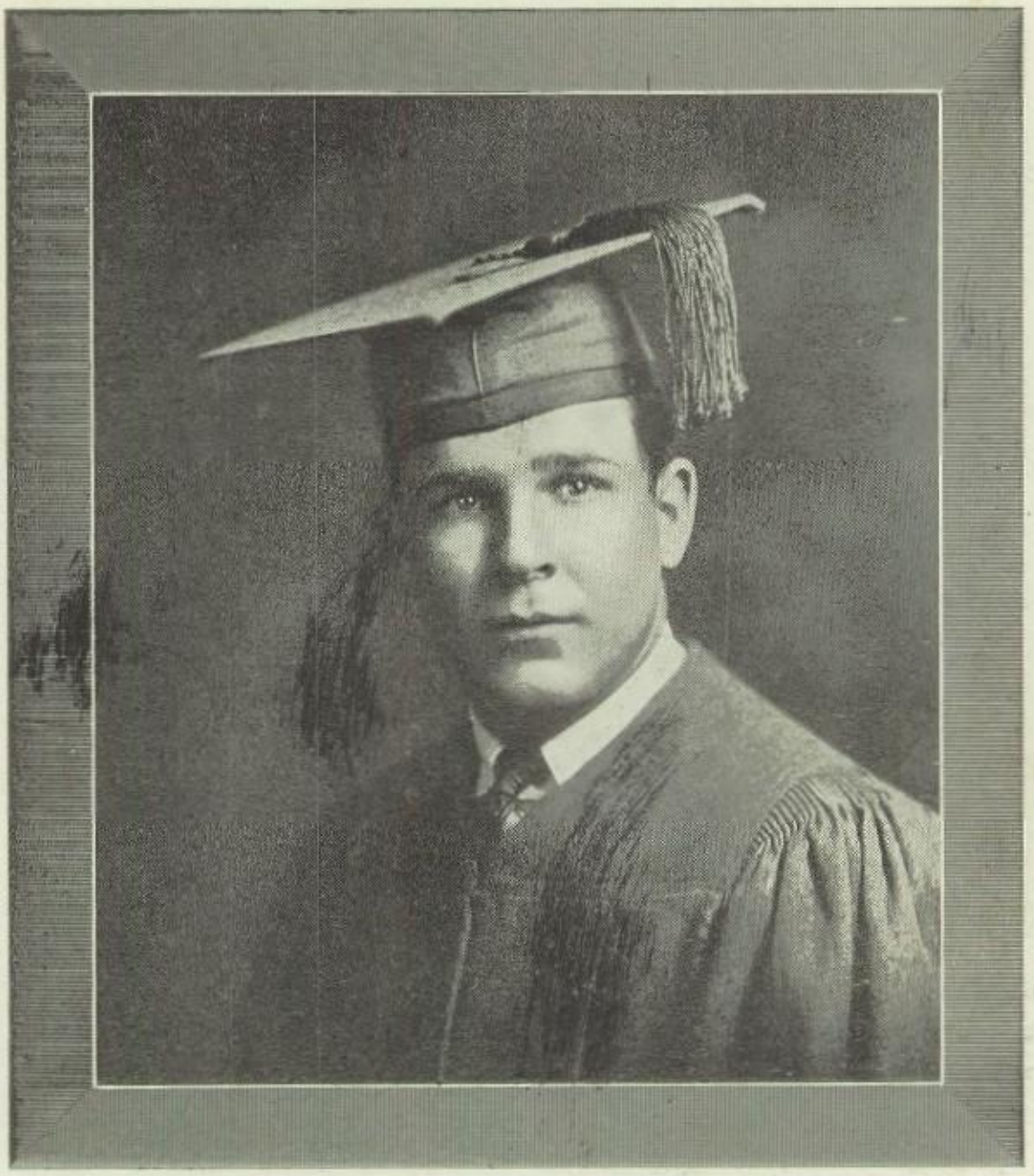
In our Sophomore year, we had our first big thrill—helping the Juniors in the annual class fight with the Seniors. The Juniors burnt the Senior class flag, and we helped them. Gee, how we hated Seniors!

The accomplishments of our Junior year were many and manifold, but one, in our sight, stands out above the rest. We gave the Seniors the best banquet, that we, personally, believe they, or any other Senior Class sat down to. You can see that our attitude toward Seniors had changed, instead of "brick-batting" them we were "banqueting" them!

Everything went smoothly until our Senior year—and then we met with our first and bitterest disappointment. Ever since our "Fish" year, we had been planning what we would do to the lower classmen when we reached "Seniorhood." But alas, there were no more "fish" for us to bait as we had been baited. The Freshmen were enrolled in the Junior Highs and there one of our fondest dreams crumbled away. There were no Freshmen to haze, and what was the use of being a Senior if you could not haze anyone? However, we weren't to be outdone. We turned our attention to leaving a real record for acquiring honors for B. H. S.

In the year 1924-1925, Beaumont High School set a new record in athletics, winning State championship in basketball, tri-district championship in football, and district championship in track. She also distinguished herself in academic subjects, having won first place in the Latin meet in Houston. And in addition our music representatives at Belton, and clothing contestants at Austin were the envy of many schools in the State. All this happened the year that the class of 1925 were high and mighty Seniors.

First in athletics, first in scholarship and first in the ranks of High School Graduates! Who could ask more?

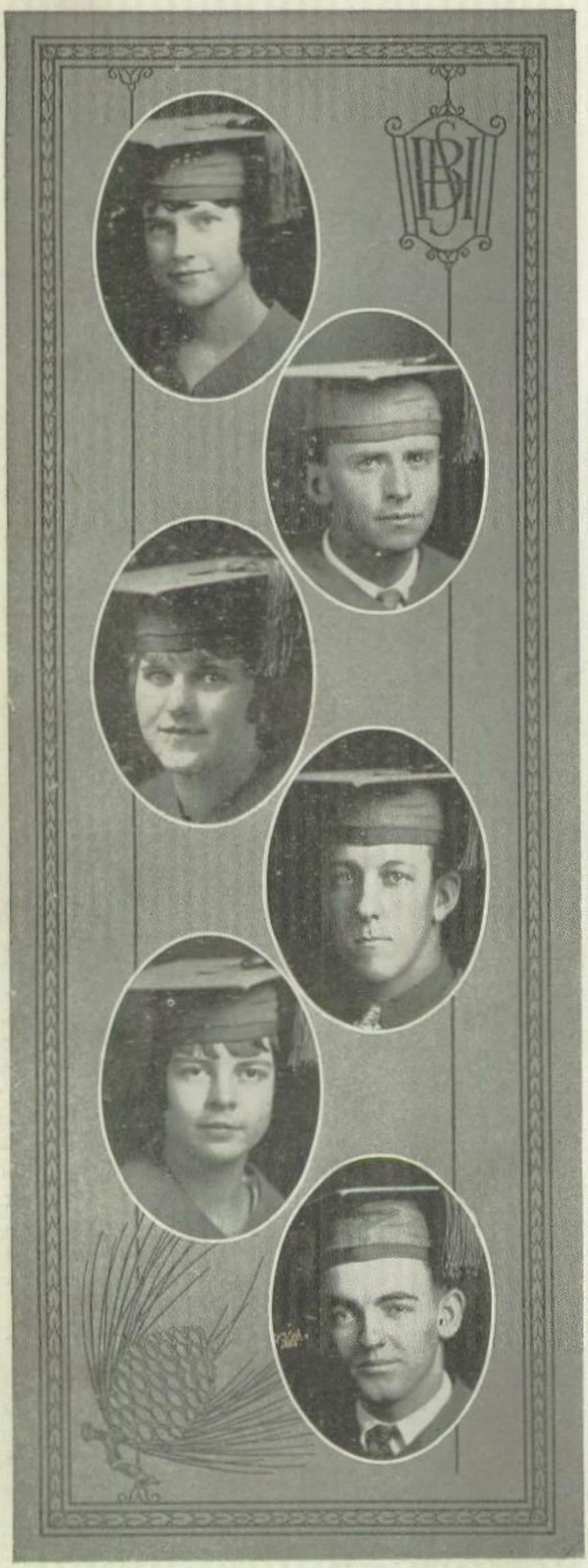


EDWIN BEULAR

"Love is like the measles; we all have it to
go through with."

President Junior Class '24; President Senior Class '25; Football '21, '22, '23, '24, Captain '24; Track '25; Pine Burr Staff '25; De Molay '22, '23, '24, '25; Hi-Y '22, '23, '24, '25; Glee Club '22, '23, '24, '25; "B" Association '22, '23, '24, '25.

Senior President, Football Captain, and most popular boy—entirely too many honors for any ordinary individual to have thrust upon him in one year. However, "Little Eddie" has proved himself worthy of them by refusing to join the throng of "swell heads" and assuming all the responsibilities of his positions. He has lived in Beaumont all his life, and for years has been a general favorite. "That famous Beular smile" was not acquired on the gridiron—he was born with it, and it serves him well in getting for him what he desires almost without his asking. The hardest thing Ed ever tried to do was to study, but he sometimes managed to get his lessons. Several colleges are vying with one another for his presence next year and lucky will be the one that succeeds. He would love to be an expert on the track, and to play good baseball would delight him, but now his greatest ambition is to win what Shreveport lost.



LOUELLA WARD

"Not a wind but whispers of
thy name."

Football Sponsor Maid '23, '24; Boosters '24, '25; Kackler Klub '24, '25; Glee Club '22, '23, President '24, '25; Mixed Chorus '24; Purple Jackets '24.

The most popular girl of the class of '25 is very fond of studying. Although society some times tempts her, she thrusts it aside to increase her intellect. Her ambition is to grow a little taller so she won't have such a hard time talking to———.

SMYTH WALDEN

"Exceedingly long, exceedingly lazy,
but an exceedingly good fellow."

Vice-President Junior Class '23; Vice-President Senior Class '24, '25; Football Manager '21, '23; Yell Leader '23, 24, '25; Golf '24, '25, Captain '25; Hi-Y '22, '23, '24, '25; Pine Burr Staff '24, '25; Assistant Scout Master '24, '25; De Molay '23, '24, '25; "B" Association '22, '23, '24, '25. President '25.

Who doesn't know "Smittie," our long, lanky yell-leader? How could the athletics of B. H. S. have survived if Smyth hadn't been on the job all of the time? "Smittie's" hobbies are rather small girls, Buick cars, and golf.

RUTH HOOKS

"And I come, fellow-students, to steal a
few more hearts."

Rainbow '25; Glee Club '25; Booster Club '25; Basket Ball '25; Home Economics Club '25; "Circle B" Association '25, President '25.

"Minervy" came all the way from Kountze for this very purpose, and we are still wondering how we managed to do without her our first three years. She's a star basket-ball player, and all in all, we surely hate to lose her.

CHARLES GILBERT HUNTER

"Only he who knows everything is
superior to me."

Hi-Y '22, '23, '24, '25; De Molay '23, '24, '25; Football '24; Basket Ball '23, '24, '25; Track '24, '25, Captain '25; "B" Association '23, '24, '25.

"Dilly," besides being a star on both the football and basket-ball teams, is the captain of our track team. We are very proud of him because he has made high school in two years—of 950 days each.

ELEANOR WIER

"Laughing cheerfulness throws sunlight
on all paths of life."

Editor-in-chief Purple Pennant '25; Rain bow '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Harmony Club '25; Kacklers '24, '25; Purple Jackets '24; Boosters '24, '25.

Eleanor, the splendid editor-in-chief of the Purple Pennant, is writing a book on "How to Manage Men." Vamping is her long suit—blue serge her short. Red hair and a "brick"—can one have a better "epitaph"?

J. T. BARROW

"I say what I mean
I know what I think."

Boy Scouts '22, '23, '24, '25; Eagle Scouts; Sea Scouts; Business Manager Purple Pennant '25.

If nothing else were to mark this year's accomplishments for J. T., his work in making the Purple Pennant such a financial success would rank him with the best. The level headedness that has characterized him as a business manager has served him well in his school work.

MARGARET CRADDOCK

"God loves them all so why can't
I love a dozen?"

Glee Club '25; Rainbow '24, '25; Sponsor Maid '24; Kackler Klub '25; Student Club '24;.

"Who's first string today, Margaret?" More men were hurt by this young lady during football season than by the opposing teams. There is one time that Margaret is not fickle (?), however, and that is when B. H. S. is concerned.

DICK PLUMMER

"Twenty years ago I was a boy."

Hi-Y '22, '23, '24, '25; President '23; De Molay '22, '23, '24, '25, Master Councilor '24; Football '23, '24; Assistant Scoutmaster; "B" Association '23, '24; Glee Club '24, '25.

Fate has dealt harshly with this popular lad making him "old for his years." It has been the marvel of all B. H. S. how our "grandfather Rubber" could limber up and play football, but this is probably due to inspiration received from a college Co-ed not many miles away.

LIL MARTIN

"The envy of many, the glory of one."

Football Maid '23; Booster Club '24, '25, Chief Booster '24; Kackler Klub '24, '25; Basket-Ball Sponsor '24; Purple Jacket '24; Football Sponsor '24; Home Economics Club '25 Basketball Maid '25; "B" Association '24, '25, Secretary '25.

Three years ago something nice happened at B. H. S.—Lil Martin arrived! How could we ever have gotten along without her? She is quite a "shark" in all her studies especially Latin and Home Economics. Her weakness is a tall brunette with a French name.

PAULINE DOLLINGER

"Cheerfulness is the secret of popularity."

Freshman Choral Club '22; Secretary Sophomore Class '23; Booster Club '24, '25, Assistant Chief Booster '25; Kackler Klub '25; Pine Burr Staff '25.

"Polly" is not only a Senior favorite, but is the favorite of the entire school. She has a weakness for out-of-town boys, especially those from Houston. Her ambition is to be "tall and willowy", and she seems to think that driving a Buick will help.

ALLEN LAMAR SMITH

"Food for thought"

De Molay '23, '24; "B" Association '23, '24, '25; Tennis '21, '22, '24, Manager '24.

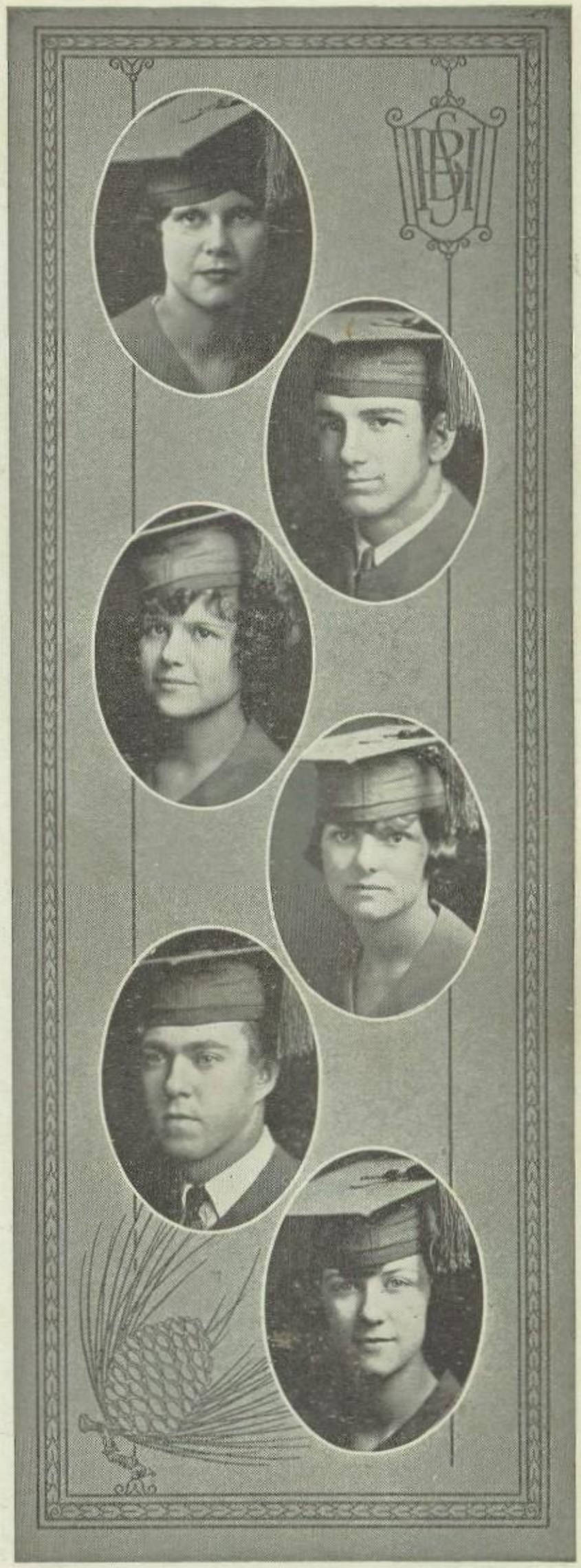
"Bean's" ambition is to get a good education, so he has spent six years in High School laying the foundation for it. For pastime he slings ice tongs and tennis rackets, and has become expert at both. He represented B. H. S. in the District Tennis Tournament, and we expect him to take all-state honors at the Ice-Men's Convention.

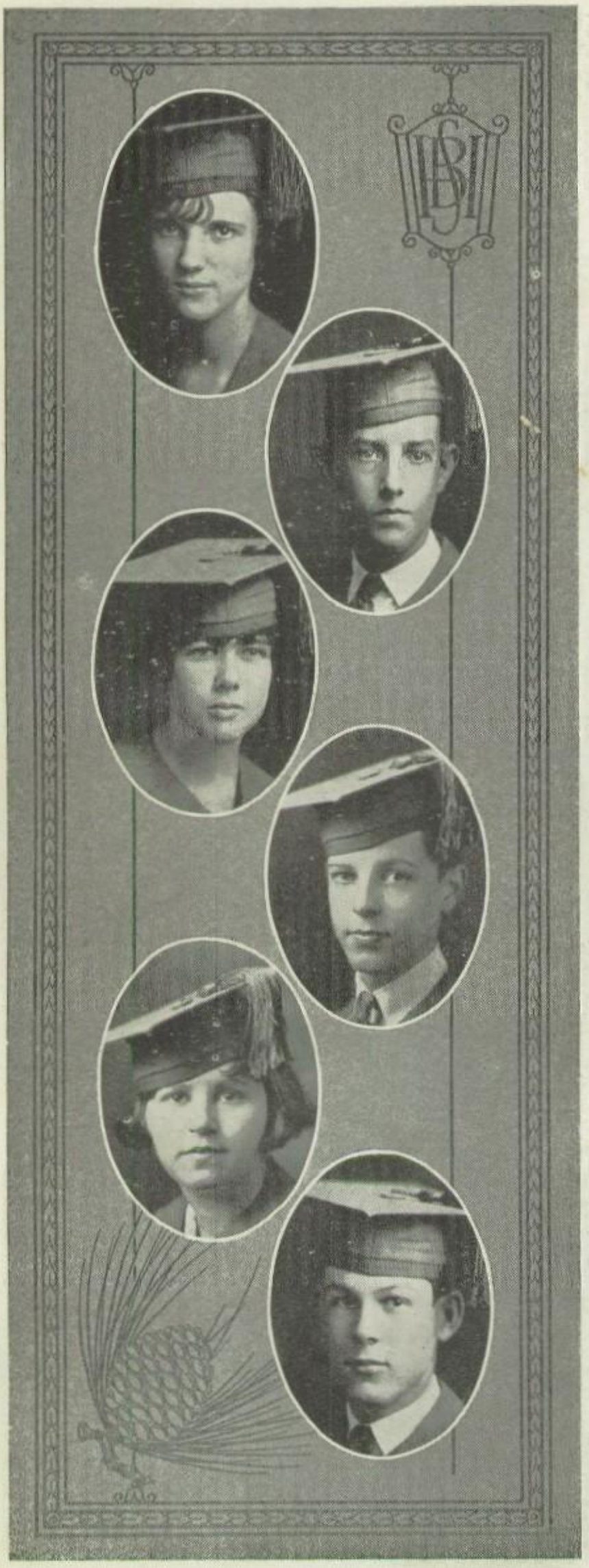
MARGARET ELIZABETH DONOHUE

"My mouth is my best asset."

Boosters '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Purple Pennant Staff '25; Dramatic Dabblers '25; Debating Club '25.

Everybody loves the Irish so everybody loves Margaret. It is said that she is descended from famed Irish Aristocracy. Won't it be "collegiate" in later years to say we graduated in the class with this celebrity? This blue-eyed, black haired lassie has won recognition as a public speaker.





FRANCES HUNTER

"She hath a lean and hungry look."

Sponsor Maid '24; Kackler Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Purple Jackets '24; Pine Burr Staff '25; News Staff '24; Rainbow '24, '25.

"Maggie" has no ambition to make good grades—she has done that all her life—but how she does crave to "put on weight"! She went to Houston with the "Latin Sharks" and was **strong** enough to help bring back a large silver loving cup. She has been the inspiration of a famous caricature that has furnished much amusement to her fellow sufferers on the Staff.

HILL SANDERS

"Brains, not size, make men."

Scouts '22, '23; Glee Club '23, '24; Hi-Y '22, '23, '24, '25; Pine Burr Staff '25.

Hi'l has lived in Beaumont all his life and outside of Goose Creek and China, knows nothing of city life. He rushed through his school work and finished at mid-term in order to help Mr. Plumley manage the Magnolia Refinery. As assistant editor, he has even pleased the "chief."

RUTH YOUNG

"Ambition is the only power that combats love."

President Freshman Class '22; Booster Club '24, '25; Freshman Choral Club '22; Football Sponsor Maid '23, '24; Glee Club '25; Kackler Klub '24, '25; Rainbow '24, '25; Secretary Junior Class '24; Purple Jackets '24.

Ruth's desire to have her own way often stands in the way of her love affair(s). She has made a good snap-shot editor, though, and has been one of our most popular girls. Ruth feels the wisdom of the saying "I would not be a King like Soloman—'tis woe enough to love but one".

JOHN WALKER

"If you don't think he is wise, just ask him."

Hi-Y '22, '23, '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Purple Pennant Staff '25; Pine Burr Staff '25.

John was a good student and a hard worker on the annual, when the snap-shot editor was around to inspire him. His chief ambition is to be the "Chick Evans" of the golf course.

JANE KEITH

"She has a will of her own."

Harmony Club '23, '24, Vice President '23; Euterpean Club '24, '25, Secretary '25; Glee Club '25; Purple Jackets '24; Booster Club '24, '25.

Jane is the envy of many of the High School girls because she has a Cadillac and many good-looking clothes. We do not know whether she is mercenary or not, but she seems rather fond of bankers.

FRANKLIN H. NOBLE

"He is as shy as a newspaper when referring to his own merits."

Hi-Y '23, '24, '25; Manager Football '24; "B" Association '25; Glee Club '22, '23, '24; De Molay '23, '24, '25; Scouts '21, '22, '23; Skippers '24; Pine Burr Staff '25.

"Nobles", football manager, Senior favorite, and member of the firm, "Buck and Nobles", is always surprising strangers with his many telegrams. Franklin is very generous—it is even rumored that he gave his ticket to "Chi" away.

GLADYS MAE DEWER

"How goodness heightens beauty!"

Rainbow '23, '24, '25, Worthy Advisor '25; Glee Club '22, '25; Kackler Klub '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Sponsor Maid '25; Pine Burr Staff '25.

"Gladys Mae" has upon her shoulders a great responsibility—that of this Pine Burr of '25. For "some reason" the good points as well as the bad points of the book may be attributed to her attitude toward "the world" on different days. Gladys, Worthy Advisor of the Rainbow, has proved herself one of the most interested supporters of the Purple in all **Four** Major Sports.

LANOS WATSON, Jr.

"One never accuses him of
faintheartedness."

Boy Scout '22, '23, '24, '25; De Molay '23, '24, '25; Purple Pennant Staff '25; Football '23; "B" Association '23, '24, '25; Hi-Y '23, '24, '25; Glee Club '24, '25; Eagle Scout '23, '24, '25; Wampanton Club '23, '24.

That this Senior is popular among the girls is self-evident; that he is popular among his classmates is proven by his being chosen one of our class favorites. What was the noise? Sonny fell again! Keep up your pep, "Happy-go lucky."

ELIZABETH NEAL

"The light heart lives long."

Rainbow '24, '25; Glee Club '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

Beth is a sweet, pretty, happy-go-lucky girl that everybody loves, eh, Legette? She never is in too much of a hurry to stop and help or sympathize with some one who is in trouble.

ERMINE HOLT

"A friendly person is a
joy forever."

Glee Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Home Economics Club '25.

Erminie, after having been a "joy forever" to the inhabitants of the Metropolis of Kountze, came here this year to spread a little sunshine around the gloomy (?) halls of B. H. S.

MARK MOORE

"I have learned the value
of a dollar."

Pine Burr Staff '25; Hi-Y '23, '24, '25, Treasurer '24, '25; De Molay '24, '25; Boys' Glee Club.

Not only has Mark learned the value of a dollar during his career as Business Manager of the annual, but he has learned to "make two grow where but one grew before". Serving in this capacity he has proved himself to be possessed of both rare business ability and practical sense.

ALICE WOODHEAD

"I lay myself out to exaggerate."

Kackler Klub '25; Glee Club '22, '25; President Freshman Chorus '22; Boosters '24, '25, Treasurer '24, and Chief '25; Purple Jackets '24; Student Club '22, '23; News Staff '24; Rainbow '24, '25; Pine Burr '25.

Alice's vivid imagination rivals that of the Grimm Bros. in their famous "Fairy Tales". A's are nothing in her young life because what she's after are pluses. The Seniors showed good judgment when they elected her the prettiest girl.

DOROTHY FITE

"She has an eye that could speak though her tongue were silent."

Kackler Klub '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '24, '25.

Who doesn't know Dorothy?—The Senior who has always lived up to her name in helping old B. H. S. to "fite and win!" Dorothy is very fond of amateur shows, especially when she is in them. She loves to talk and usually pleases herself.

ALLAN BUCK

"He intends to be an oil king—he already owns an oil-can."

De Molay; Hi-Y; Glee Club '24, '25, President '25; Basket-Ball Manager '25; "B" Association '25.

When our little all-state manager leaves B. H. S., Western Union will probably go out of business. "Low Woods" claims that his notable success in the Pine Burr drive was due to the loyal encouragement of his two side partners Kelly and Murphy. His ambition is to go to Scotland yards and look up O'Hearn of Dugan Alley.

KATRINA HAWTHORNE

"As merry as the day is long."

Glee Club '24, '25; Kacklers Klub '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Rainbow '24, '25.

Living up to her reputation as our "next to cutest girl seems to come easy to Katrina, for she is one of the cutest, peppiest girls in the class. To dare her to do anything is like tempting fate, for the dare that she won't take hasn't yet been invented. Katrina is red-headed.

DOROTHY SEALE

"Glance at the other page and try not to look so silly."

Kackler Klub '25; Secretary Senior Class '25; Rainbow '23, '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '22, '23, '24, '25; Mixed Chorus '24.

"Baby" Seale, our secretary, is the kind of a girl we all love. Her eyes are blue and while the Basketball Team was in "Chi", her whole face took on the same hue. Judging from present indications, her schooling may come to an end this year.

BRYANT A. FICKEN

"He has a kind face—a funny kind."

De Molay '24, '25; Hi-Y '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Skippers '25.

Bryant is usually quiet and easy going—seeing all, but having no comments to make. He has either acquired or cultivated the art of saying cutting things in a sweetly sarcastic way to the extent that one scarcely dares kid him about—oh, well, most anything. 'Tis luck to have him for a friend.

THEOPAL E. PHILP

"Ambition is power."

Rainbow '24, '25, Worthy Advisor '25; Student Club '21, '22, '23; Glee Club '25; Home Economics Club '25.

Theopal is a girl with an ever ready smile and a willingness to help others. The reason she has so many friends is because she knows how to be one. In summing up her traits, we might say she talks little, thinks much, complains never, but travels on.

CLAIRE HODGES

"I awoke one morning and found
myself famous."

Student Club '22; Kacklers '24, '25, Secretary and Treasurer '25; Boosters '24, '25; Purple Pennant Staff '25; Purple Jackets '24; Glee Club '25; Sponsor Maid '24; Basket-Ball Sponsor '25; "B" Association '25.

"Clairie" really has the right to be loud-mouthed, since she was a football maid, secretary of the Kacklers, and Basketball Sponsor. Her election as sponsor came as a shock to her, but we were not surprised because she is both peppy and popular. Sometimes out-of town boys attract her attention—especially when they are athletes.

PAUL ANGER

"He slowly wends his way."

Football '24; Basket-Ball '25; "B" Association '24, '25; Baseball '25; Hi-Y '25.

Although Paul has been with us only a year, he has won the respect and admiration of the whole school, both in athletics and in the class room. Good luck to you, Paul.

MAXINE HUFFMAN

"She is worthy of the name Senior."

Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '24; Rainbow '23, '24, '25.

Wonder why "Mac" has a study period the second period instead of taking Commercial Geography? We are sorry to lose the girl that always has a glad smile and a good word for everyone.

MADIE MILLER

"Sweet and shy
Lovable to all."

A smile, and sparkling eyes greet you when you meet Madie in the hall or in her classes. As a Booster, Grammarian, or Commercial Law student, she's right there. Good-bye, don't forget that whatever you undertake to do old B. H. S. is backing you.

ALVIN STAHL

"There's nothing so sweet in life
as young love's dream"

Glee Club '24, '25; Basket-Ball '25; "B" Association '25.

"Bubba" burst into bloom this year. A basket-ball star and a devotee of a blonde Senior were revealed simultaneously. The poor boy had to do without some of his meals in "Chi" to buy special delivery stamps, but we suppose it was money well spent judging from the number of letters he received even after his return to B. H. S.

MAUDIE WADE

"Her talents were of the more
silent (?) class."

Glee Club '25; Student Club '23, 24; Booster Club '25.

We often wonder how the commercial department would get along if Mr. Scott were gone. There's where Maudie would come in. In future years we are sure to hear of Maudie as the most capable "stenog" of all times.

CLAIRE DANZIGER

"Service is the foundation of knowledge."

Girl's Glee Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Junior Harmony '24, '25; Purple Jackets '24.

Claire is the joy of her teachers, a cherished friend of her classmates, and her knowledge is a goal to be strived for. She is another reason why we had such a "love sick" Basketball Team this year.

GRANVILLE T. WALKER

"Wise from the top of his head up."

Hi-Y '23, '24, '25; Scout Leaders Association '22, '23; Clee Club '24, '25; Boy Scouts '22, '23, '24, 25.

This enterprising young man has a reputation for his argumentativeness. He is always willing to argue about something, whether he knows anything about it or not. If he decides to be a lawyer, we know he will be a success. Ladies, to him are very interesting.

DI VERNON McFADDIN

"Positive in argument and more positive in making friends."

Glee Club '23, '24, '25; Harmony Club '24, '25; Kackler Klub '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Purple Jackets '24.

This striking brunette is one of the best dancers in town, as was proved by the "hit" she made as a Spanish dancer in the "Royal Purple." DiVernon has such a winning personality that she has succeeded in vamping many of the High School boys, as well as some from the older set.

MARY KENNEDY

"And why not a little fun?"

Kackler Klub '25; Purple Jackets '24; Glee Club '22, '23, '25; News Staff '24; Booster Club '24, '25; Student Club '22, '23.

Truly that is Mary's creed. Did you ever see her when she didn't have a merry twinkle in her eye which showed she was up to some mischief? She's going to be quite a versatile musician when she grows up, too, because she's already very accomplished at the piano, and is working hard on the banjo-mandolin.

C. A. RICHARDSON

"And by his works ye shall know him."

Scouts '22, '23; De Molay '25; Skippers '24; Glee Club '25; Hi-Y '24, '25.

Forever doing something—that's C. A., though it may not always be worth while. He's tall and lanky, and moves about like molasses in the winter time. He writes very well, and we shall surely expect a great author from such a genius.

CYNTHEAL GREER

"Talking comes by nature—silence by wisdom."

Kackler Klub '24, '25; President '25; Glee Club '22, '23, '24, '25; Secretary and Treasurer 25; Harmony Club '24; Booster Club '24, '25; Rainbow '25; Purple Jackets '24; Mixed Chorus '24; Sponsor Maid '24.

"Tutter", the president and ring-leader of the loud-mouthed Kacklers, is one of our most popular girls. We never know what to expect concerning her love affairs, but as soon as we see the expression on her face, we know whether she has just "broken up" or "made up."

STELLA KING

"Thy modesty is a candle
to thy merit."

Rainbow '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

We heard some one ask, as Stella walked down the hall one day, "Who is that dignified, modest, sweet-looking girl?" And of course "Stella" was the answer. She is truly a sweet, lovable girl, and ole B. H. S. can not replace her very easily.

DUNCAN P. ALLEN, Jr.

"Talk of Jacob's ladder, and he will ask
the number of steps."

Hi-Y '22, '23, '24, '25; Skippers '24; Purple Pennant Staff '25; Scouts '23, '24.

Duncan has the distinction of being the most widely read of all the Seniors. He reads everything he can find—except his lessons, when he can manage to read a book instead. He's also interested in cross-word puzzles. A Carnegie medal is offered to anyone who can make him smile

WILLIE FRANCES KIRKPATRICK

"Thy voice would still the world."

Junior Harmony Club '24, '25, President '25; Glee Club '23, 24, '25; Rainbow '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

"Whence comes that charming melody?" "Oh, that's Willie Frances singing"—We have to hand it to "Billie" for reading music—for she's the main-stay of the music classes. Music in B. H. S. couldn't have done without her this year.

DOROTHY FECEL

"I would like to be a man-hater, but I
haven't the heart."

Glee Club '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25, Assistant Secretary '25; Kackler Club '24, '25; Student Club '22; Mixed Chorus '24.

Dorothy, the assistant secretary of the Boosters, has sworn off of men several times, but never has she been able to hate them entirely. Last year when the Juniors were having hysterics trying to give the Seniors a banquet, Dorothy was one of the most untiring and efficient workers This year her fine spirit and her loyalty have made her indispensable.

WILLIAM THAMES

"A heart with room for everyone."

Hi-Y '23, '24, '25; De Molay '24, '25; Orchestra '23, '24; Band '24, '25; Scouts '22, '23.

Bill, besides being a member of the High School Band, spends his leisure moments running moving picture machines. In the future, he will very likely direct the orchestra of his own picture-show.

ELOISE CHAISON

"A smile for every occasion, and an occasion for
every hour of the day."

Glee Club '22, '23, '25; News Staff '22, '23; Booster Club '24, '25; Purple Jackets '24; Rainbow '24, '25; Kackler Klub '25; Home Economics '25.

Pep!—Eloise has it. She is a girl blessed with a charming personality, as well as brains and beauty. She is a jolly good sport and a friend of all—we wish that we had more like her.

RHOENE FUNCHESS

"But why worry when a good time may be had for the asking?"

Glee Club '22, '23, '24, '25; Harmony Club '25; Rainbow '24, '25; Kacklers '25; Purple Jackets '25; Booster Club '24, '25, Secretary '25.

Rene always does have a good time—how could it be otherwise with one of her disposition? This cutest girl of ours has numerous "crushes", many of whom do not even know of the "case". Despite her fun, Rene was serious enough to make a splendid Booster secretary, and incidentally, stack up enough credits to graduate.

JACK DINKINS

"A true heart is worth more than fine gold."

Skippers '24.

Jack has the knack of making and keeping friends. When it comes to an all-around good fellows, he is hard to beat. He is a boy that strives for the best and is not content without it.

ELAINE SELF

"'Tis of Aggieland, I'm always thinking."

Rainbow '23, '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Boosters '24, '25.

Elaine's mind and soul are in the activities of B. H. S., but we are sure that her heart is with a certain "Scrapping" Aggie. We see her on the stage, in recitals, and figuring in the numerous style shows. She is very talented and uses her gifts to good advantages.

SELMA TIEDEMAN

"She was a wonder and nothing less!"

Dramatic Dabblers '25; Secretary; Booster Club '24, '25.

Selma is a wonder in more ways than one. "Dink" is an accomplished pianist, loves football and has made more than one A in English. We wish her success in everything—and she will have it too.

BERNEY MORGAN

" Slumber is more sweet than toil."

Scouts '22, '23, '24; De Molay '25.

Berney would love to be a Valentino, some say he would be content to be a Navarro—anyway, there's lots of satisfaction in being a sheik, so he says. He is quite a business man too, even if he does sleep in class.

AUDREY LUCILE MUSICK

"She wills to do, and does."

Booster Club '24, '25; Student Club '23, 24.

Lucile has many splendid characteristics, the best one being a rare combination of integrity and determination. She is a dignified, modest Senior and we know that she will accomplish many things.

ELIZABETH SIMMONS

"Nature made her what she is and
never made another like her."

Glee Club '23, '24, '25; Mixed Chorus '23, '24, '25; Student Club '22, '23; Booster Club '24; Rainbow '24, '25.

Elizabeth hasn't a single rival when it comes to talking! She could out talk Patrick Henry if he were living to-day. She studies sometimes, and has earned the reputation of being a protector of "Condemned Animals".

CARL A. CHRISTOFFERSON

"Nothing e'er ruffled the current
of his life."

Carl is a dreamer and appears sleepy most all the time. Sometimes he can be awakened, and then he startles even teachers with his brilliant flashes. The world does not worry him, he does not care enough about it—so we predict for him a life as long as himself.

RAY LEICHT

"A good heart's worth gold."

Rainbow '23, '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '25.

Ray left us at mid-term to go to Milford, leaving a place hard to fill. Her good-nature and generosity and her ever present "Lulu" have endeared her to all of us, and we hope she will be as well-liked everywhere as she was at B. H. S.

VIRGINIA WHEAT

"A merry heart and true."

Boosters '24, '25; Glee Club '22, 23, '24, '25; Home Economics Club '25; Rainbow '23, '24, '25;

Virginia is always ready for fun, so, of course, she's popular with everybody. She's living in hopes that A. & M. will be co-ed by next year. Her main object in life is to beat Rene's time with J———, but we won't tell on you, Virginia.

THURSTON JOSEPH BLAND, Jr.

"To get a rime for him we tried, but
we have failed, and here
subside."

De Molay '25.

Joe is a quiet young man, but he knows a lot, and that's what counts. Although very tall, he has never grown up. He spends a great deal of his time torturing his fellow students with pins and paper wads.

VIRGINIA BUCK

"Little but loud."

Student Club '22, '23, '24, Secretary '23, '24; Glee Club '22, 25; Booster Club '24, '25; Rainbow '24, '25; News Staff '23.

This little miss answers to "Biology Buck." She has a soft heart especially where condemned kittens are concerned—we think she deserves a Carnegie medal for life-saving—(what?) Practical philosophy and vivacious greetings are broadcasted daily in station B. H. S. She is witty as well as wise.

GRACE HANKAMER

"Charm strikes the sight, but
merit wins the soul."

Booster Club '24, '25; Dramatic Dabblers '25.

Grace is quiet and unassuming in manner, but a jolly comrade to those who really know her. She enjoys sports immensely, and can ride horseback like a westerner. Capability and earnestness mark her untiring efforts toward success.

LEE BELL

"Silence is golden, but brevity
is far better."

Lee is the eighth wonder of the world, for he is a boy who knows both how and when to keep silent. Many's the time when he has saved the day by answering a question in math when the rest of us had failed. Friends of this type are few and valuable.

SYLVIA SIMMONS

"Found! Perpetual Motion."

It's Sylvia's tongue. She talks from morn till night, but she isn't one of those persons who talk continually and never say anything. What surprises us is that she always gets "excellent" in deportment. She is reserved in manner and always makes good grades.

ANNIE CLESI

"Her smile reveals a friendly
nature."

Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '25.

Annie is recognized by those who knows her as a jolly companion and student. She uses her vanity to a good advantage, and is one of the few (!) Seniors who enjoys conversing with her fellow classmates.

DAVID C. AUDIBERT

"Little David play on
your harp."

Orchestra '22, '23, '24, '25, President '24; De Molay '24; Scouts '22, '23; Magnolia Band '25.

Forgive us, "Dave", we meant saxophone. David, president of our all-state Orchestra, is accomplished enough to belong to the Magnolia Band. We are very proud of him. He is not only a musician but a true friend to every one.

MAYSEL LINDSEY

"A good sport is always
in demand."

Probably that is why Maysel is popular among her friends. She's red-headed, jolly, and always ready for any fun. Maysel is studious, though a flapper.

FRANCES N. ANDERSON

"Artful in speach, in action,
in mind."

Student Club '24, '25; Glee Club '24, '25; Freshman Choral Club '22; Dramatic Dabblers '25; Debating Club '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Purple Jackets '24; News Staff '24, '25.

One does not have to know Frances very intimately to appreciate her lovable qualities; they are apparent the first time you meet her. Frances is a natural born leader, especially when it comes to promoting new ideas. She was chosen to represent B. H. S. at Sophia Newcomb in the debating contest. We are very proud of her.

E. T. FULLER, Jr.

"A deep and studious gentleman."

Hi-Y '24, '25.

E. T. is one of the few people who don't tell everything they know. When he does speak, he always has something to say. He is the mainstay of the Manual Training Department, often arriving in time to "open up". They say he once had a date, although he flatly denies it.

PAULINE ANNA FARRIS

"She who has done her best has in
her elements of success."

Glee Club '25.

Pauline always does well what she attempts to do, even though it means mastering the typewriter. She must love work for she is always busy. The premises of B. H. S. will be lonesome when Pauline and Florene leave us.

FLORENE HELEN FARRIS

"Deny her merit if
you can."

Glee Club '25.

Florene is so fond of school that she spends even her Saturdays at B. H. S. She aspires to be a stenographer and lucky will be the firm that secures her services. She is thought by most people to be Pauline's twin.

ALBERT JACOBSON

"Dignity Personified"

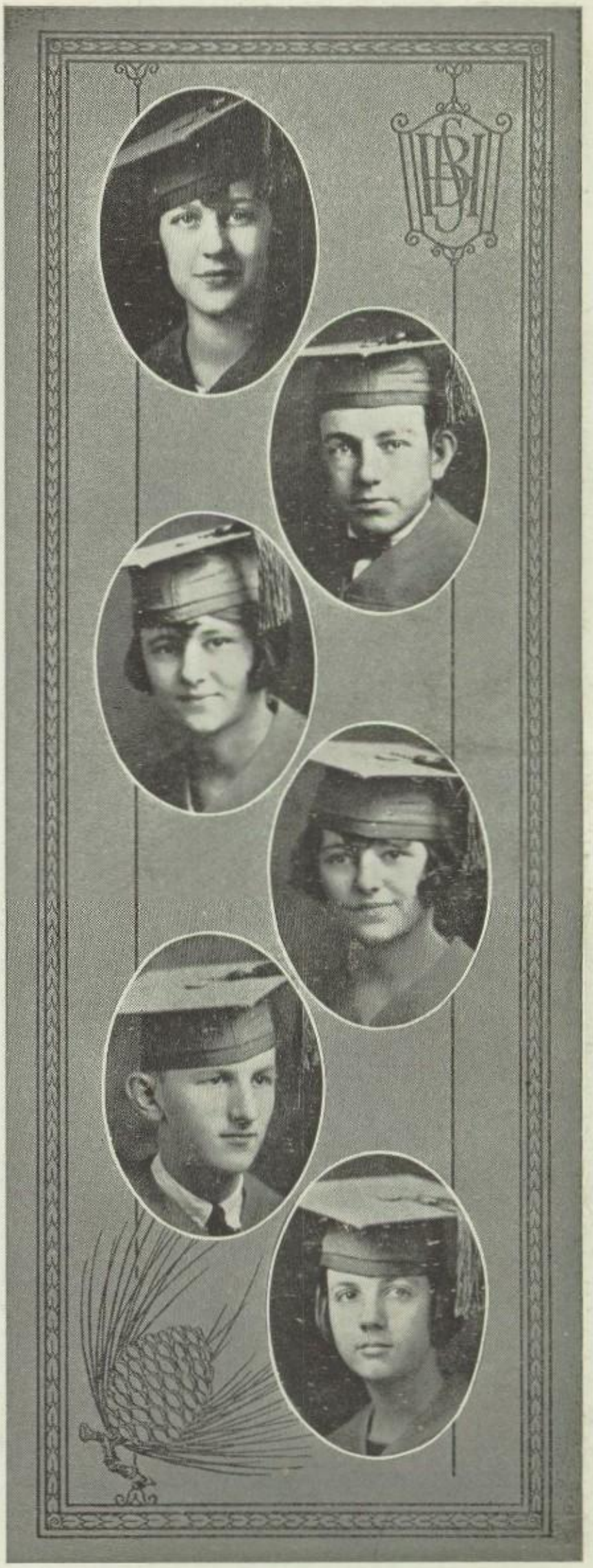
Did you ever see anyone that walked in the most dignified manner possible. That's "Jake". One simply couldn't imagine him in a rush! Albert's ears remind one of the famous "Red Riding Hood" story—they're enormous—perhaps that is why he hears so well.

ALEXINE CRAWFORD

"A general favorite and
a general friend."

Purple Jackets '24; News Staff '24; Purple Pennant Staff '25; Home Economics Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

Some people are good, some are clever—Alexine is both. She is a good student and is always ready for fun. Alexine is a gifted artist and was one of the most active members of the Art Club during its one year of existence. She has one ambition—that is to get thin without dieting.



MABEL VEST

"Be silent, or say something
better than silence."

Mabel is a wonder in many ways, especially in English. Such an average as 99 is nothing to her. Her silence is the golden kind; but when she does speak, everyone stops to listen. We're wishing her all kinds of luck when she leaves ole B. H. S.

WILLIAM H. LANTZ

"I toil in vain"

Hi-Y '21; Skippers '24.

"Bill" seems to think girls are mere jokes. He laughs at them and never takes them seriously. This unusual trait tends to put him in a class by himself. We enjoy variety. Don't disappoint us, Bill.

PAULINE NOSEK

"Small, but great in spirit."

Harmony Club '24, '25; Glee Club '23, '25; Home Economics Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

Pauline is one of the smallest girls in the Senior class. Nevertheless, she has a great big heart and is so sweet and full of fun that we all love her. She is quite an accomplished seamstress and makes most of her charming clothes.

MILDRED LOEB BLISS

"You will never clap a padlock
on my tongue."

Boosters '24, '25; Harmony Club '24, '25; Student Club '22.

When you see a bright something tripping down the hall, you know that it is Mildred. She has a very likeable disposition, and despite her many narrow escapes, she continues to smile and be merry.

JOSEPH BLIEDEN

"I love fool's experiments.—I am
always making them."

Scouts '22, '23, '24, '25; Skippers '24.

Some people wonder, but most people know why Gibson likes Joe so well; his "balloon breeches" have served to keep the halls clean. They serve also to keep the other boys posted on the latest things in trousers. Despite his fondness for extreme fashion, he has many friends.

BLANCHE CARNEY

"A light heart lives long."

Blanche, one of the smallest Seniors, "doubled" so that she could graduate with the class of '25. This shows that she is wiser than lots of people. Although she is very studious, she still finds time to play and always be full of pep.

LILLIAN PERL

"The mildest manner and the gentlest heart."

Orchestra '21; Student Club '21, '22; Booster Club '24, '25; Home Economics Club '25.

Lillian is not one of the "show me" kind, but she goes after things herself. She has been here four years and has always attended to her own business. She is a true friend and a good companion. May there be many more like her.

HARRY GOLDSTEIN

"He is small and quiet and proficient in many things."

Boy Scouts '23, '24, '25.

Harry has been in High for four years, and does n t dare tell his age for fear he will be relegated to the kindergarten. He does not want people to know he is a precocious infant, but to make an A plus on a test is nothing out of the ordinary for him.

IRENE LAND

"A woman's tongue ain't got no Sunday."

Debating Club '24; Dabblers '25; Student Club '23, '24, '25.

Giggling and chattering, she prances down the halls every morning as soon as Gibson unlocks the doors. Irene is very studious, and she takes her "daily dozen" chasing Philip through the halls after school hours.

FRANCES EMMER

"The scholar of scholars."

Glee Club '23, '24, '25; Junior Harmony Club '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Debating Club '24, '25.

When something requiring deep thought or skill is to be done, Frances is usually called upon—it was she who named the Purple Pennant. She is noted for her artful handling of the English language and her skillful manipulation of the typewriter keys.

BYRON DOUGLAS

"Efficiency lies in accuracy."

De Molay '24, '25.

Byron is right there when it comes to accuracy. He shows that he doesn't mind work by his business life with the Eastern Texas Electric Company. Stay right in there, Byron, you'll be famous yet.

VERNON LOUDEN

"Her sketches are her dreams."

Harmony Club '25; Mixed Chorus '24; Booster Club '24, '25.

Vernon has talent for drawing faces. She's always sketching, though she finds time to smile and laugh with her friends. Her mischievousness reminds one of kindergarten days!

LOIS MATTHEWS

"She wants not fame alone, but brains."

Student Club '23, '24, '25; Harmony Club '24; Glee Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

Lois is one of our seniors who makes life possible for the teachers—because if a question goes all around the class, it is sure to be answered when it gets to Lois! We wish you lots of happiness and ever so much success in life, Lois.

DAVID GOLDSTEIN

"A helpful soul is sunshine to the mind."

By his willingness to help, David has earned a place in our affections; by his wisdom, he has earned our respect; and if he retains the determination with which he attacks Trig problems, he will win the world in after life.

EXER BAKER

"Silence is golden."

Glee Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Junior Harmony Club '24.

Exer evidently thinks she should be silent, for she speaks but little. She is a friendly person and is not given to excessive demonstrations of her likes or dislikes. We think she would be a good example for good manners and conduct.

KATHERINE PITTS

"I cannot study because the boys look at me."

Glee Club '24, '25; Student Club '23; Booster Club '24, '25.

Well boys, see how you interfere—but then we really can't blame you! Katherine is a very attractive girl with the sweetest of dispositions. She has "rafts" of friends, so nothing bothers her much.

JOHN PARKER

"Brevity is the soul of wit."

De Molay '24, '25.

Wonder why "Whitie" is so mischievous? He always cleverly entertains those surrounding him. He is far from being lazy though, as is shown by his good work in Manual Training. He paints signs, too, so here's to the boy who can mix work and play to the best advantage in modern days!

MARGARET HAYNES

"Laugh and the world laughs with you."

Junior Harmony Club '24, '25; Glee Club '24, '25.

Margaret laughs but seldom, but her smile is contagious. She's rather shy and evasive, but we all like her and will miss her after graduation this year.

VELMA SANDS

"To be merry best becomes her."

Velma was so anxious to be a business woman that she finished her work at mid-term in order to take a position. She has always been interested in all of High School's successes. Luck to you, Velma.

GILBERT ATWELL MAPES

"His greatest wealth is in his knowledge."

Scouts '22, '23, '24, '25; S. L. A. '22; Sea Scout '25.

Boundless is Gilbert's scope of knowledge. From sports to science, his advice is never lacking in wisdom. He is often very "sociable" in class, but is rarely caught "napping" when the teachers ask him questions. He is one of our most representative students.

EVA HAWA

"Assured of worthiness, we do not dread competition."

Glee Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

Eva is a very rare girl, possessing many good qualities. She has the respect of B. H. S. in general and the love of a goodly number in particular. They say she is a magician with a typewriter, and some day, no doubt, she will be a lucky "somebody's Stenog."

INA LOUISE CREWS

"Her form and face o'er balance all the blunders of her tongue."

Ina Louise is a delightful combination of beauty in both feature and disposition. She spent her earlier years of schooling in Kountze, but we are glad to claim her this year. From present indications we can't quite tell about the future; whether she will be a school teacher, or whether—oh, well, we'll let her decide that as she will have to take the consequences.

CHARLES RICHKER

"* * ? ? ! ! * *"

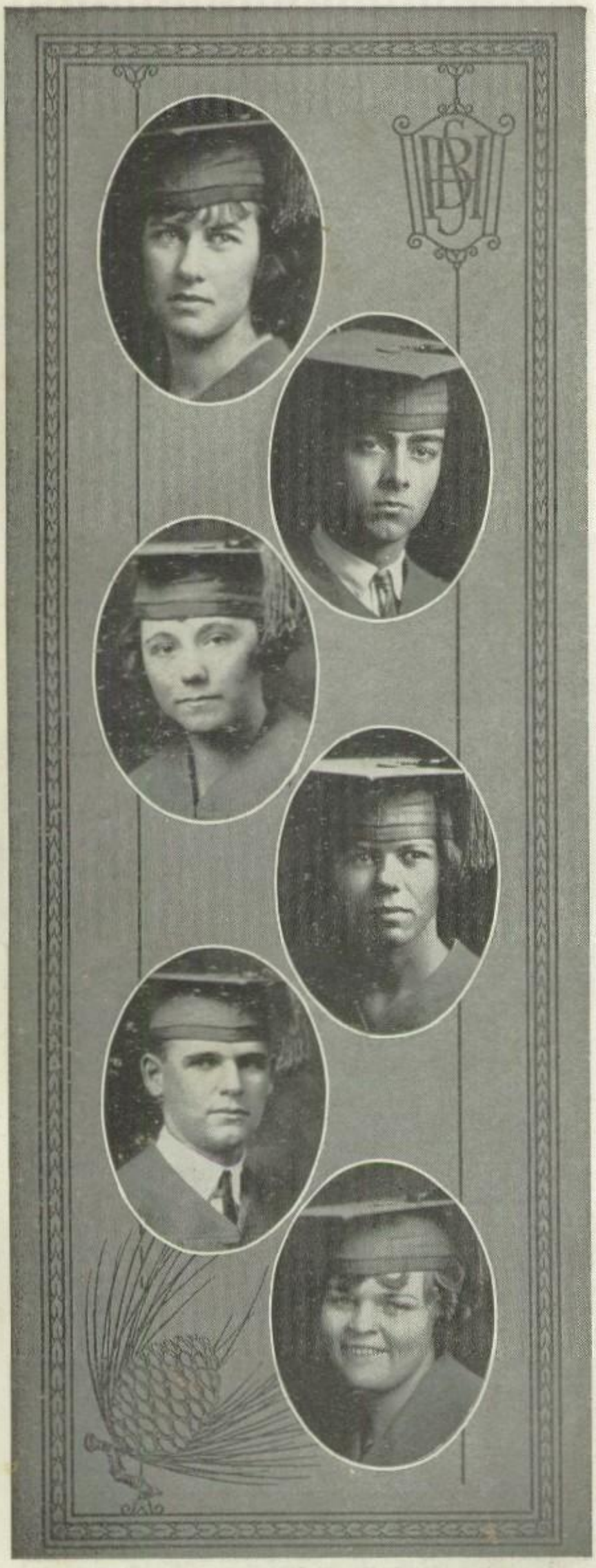
"Charley" has so many good points that it is impossible to name them. He is well liked by every one, even the teachers, and that shows what kind of a "guy" he is. He has lots of sense and never misses an opportunity to use it. That's enough about him.

ELIZABETH LeBLANC

"Oh, why should life be all labor?"

Glee Club '23, '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Mixed Chorus '24; Euterpean Club '25; Junior Harmony Club '24.

"Blunkie" labors enough to get by in school work, but manages to have plenty of time for other things. She knows everybody in Beaumont and most of the people in the other towns of the state. She entertains more visiting girls than any one else in the city.



LOIS BORDAGES

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

Booster '24, '25; Home Economics Club '25.

Although Lois is one of the "speak when spoken to girls," she is a true supporter of the Senior Class. She came to us from Notre Dame, and we surely are glad to have her. Lois is a quiet girl, but behind the quietness, we find a sweet, lovable disposition.

CARL VAN WORMER

"The deepest rivers make the least din."

De Molay '23, '24, '25; Hi-Y '23, '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Skippers '25.

That far away look in Carl's eyes does not mean that he is deeply in love, but that he is dreaming of the vast forests he intends to associate with when he becomes a lumber king. He is one of our famous baseball hurlers and has poetic aspirations.

VIOLET FONDREN

"Learn the luxury of doing good."

Student Club '22; Glee Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Home Economics '25.

Violet has been with us for four long years. She has been an ardent booster, the kind that has given B. H. S. its reputation for its wonderful school spirit.

IRMA HANDER

"Efficiency, the work of time."

Student Club '22, '23, '24, '25, President '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Tennis '24; Debating Club '25; Freshman Choral Club '22.

Irma typifies "efficiency." An efficient student, a faithful supporter of athletics, and an interested member of various activities: who could desire more? Irma deserves a lot of credit for making the Student Club such a success this year. By her untiring efforts she has won a place in B. H. S., which will not be easily filled after she leaves.

R. A. WILLIFORD, Jr.

"Joy lies within the silent heart."

R. A. has great difficulty in finding someone who can understand his quiet nature. Stay right in there, R. A., she will come along some day. He is a very valuable friend, being willing to accommodate to the limit.

HELEN BAILEY

"I have never seen her frowning for she's giggling all the time."

Have you ever heard anyone in B. H. S. ask who "Sister" is? A useless question, for everybody knows Helen. She's harmless, but her bluff of "knocking one down" is sometimes taken seriously by the more timid, who immediately decide to "give her room." She graduated at mid-term, and is now giving South Park Junior College a treat.

VIRGINIA LIGON

"And wit talks most when least
she has to say."

Booster Club '24, '25.

Virginia is the kind of a girl who can be quiet and modest and at the same time, be bubbling over with pep. She's always on hand when anybody needs help so we all say, "15 for Virgina!"

ARTHUR KNIPPLE

"The wisest man is generally the one who
thinks himself the least so."

Some day we expect to buy a radio bearing the illustrious name of Knipple & Co., or some other similar title. Arthur's many plans and diagrams seem to indicate this. However, he goes about his work in an unpretentious manner.

MARGARETTE KING

"Sweet and low"

Home Economics Club '25; Glee Club '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

Margarette is one of our beloved little classmates who always does things with such deliberation and precision that before the teachers examine her work they can be sure that it is well done. Someone was heard to remark on meeting her in the hall, "Hello books, where's Margaret?"

REAGAN STUNKLE

"A good fellow in every respect."

Skippers '24; Glee Club '22, '24; Scouts '21, '22, '23, '24; Sea Scouts '25.

Here is a boy who is one of the geniuses of our class. Reagan makes good grades, takes part in many activities and does all his work well. Here is a star of the class of '25.

MARY MANN

"Man(n) delights me not."

Kackler '25; Rainbow '24, '25; Glee Club '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Home Economics '25.

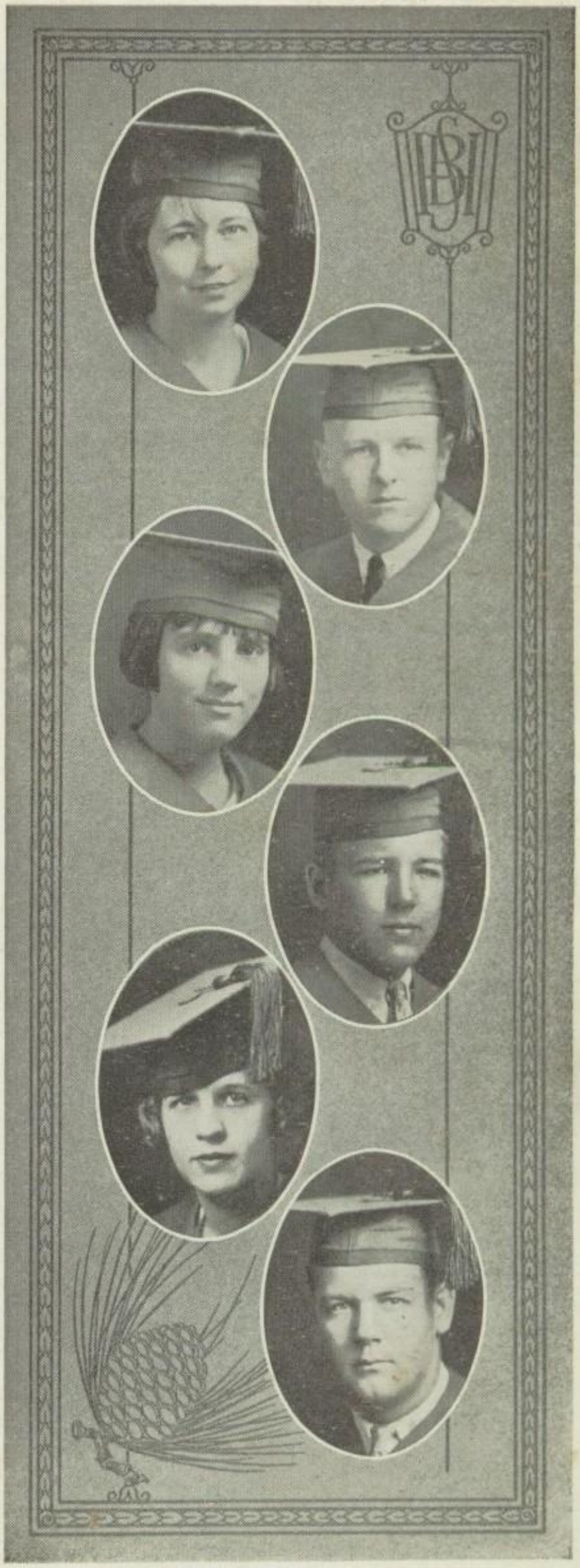
Mary at times studies her lessons, but always as a side line, studies social science. She usually is quite a talker, but during the time of the "Chi" trip she was "too lonesome for words." Mary is one of our smallest seniors and always carries around a "permanent Blonde."

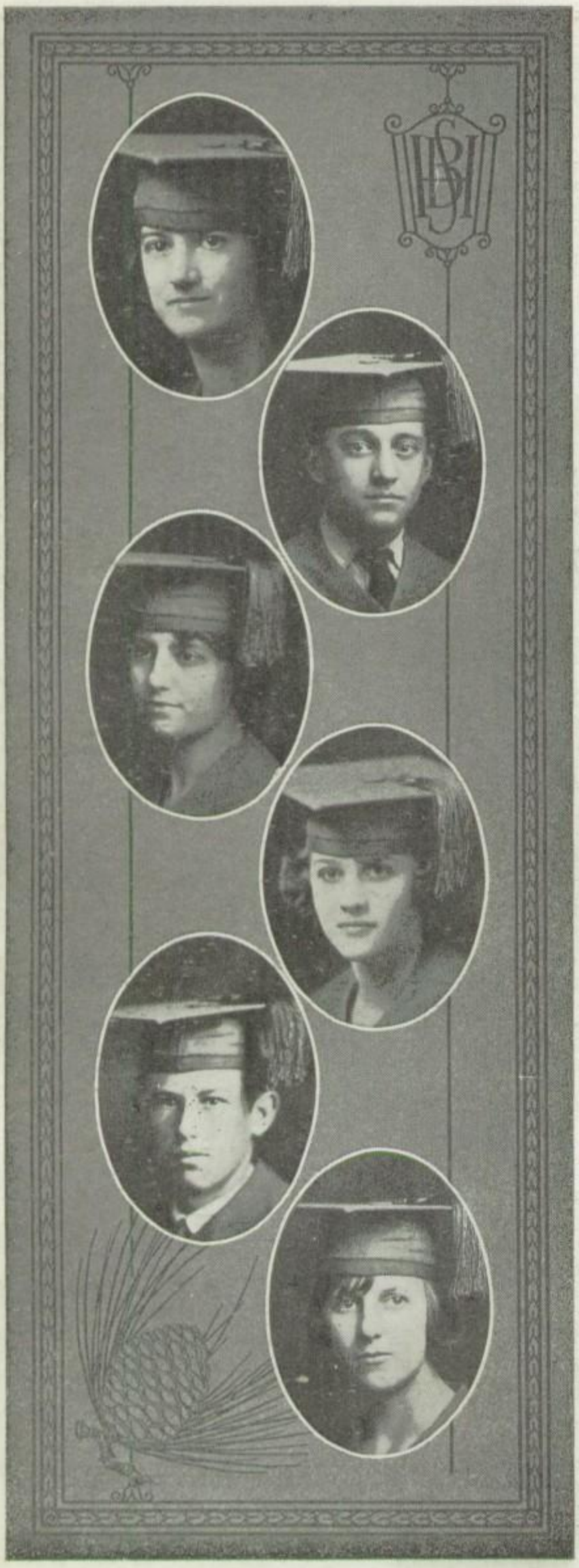
HUGH ALVIN McDONALD, Jr.

"For his heart is like the sea, ever
open, brave and free."

Football '20, '21, '22, '23; Hi-Y '22, '23; "B" Association '21, '22, '23, '24, '25, Vice-President '25; De Molay '22, '23.

"Ham" is one of the few confirmed bachelors of this class! We have no idea of his reason for this as H. A. keeps his troubles to himself. He is one of our "four-year football men" and a star in the commercial department. We all like H. A.





CORINNE LA ROCCA

"A light heart lives long."

Glee Club '24, '25; Home Economics '25.

Corinne is one of those indispensable, light hearted, friendly girls who are the backbone of any class. She goes about her work doing her best. She never complains, but always carries a smile that is contagious.

JOE REVAK

Boy Scouts '22, '23, '24, '25.

How calm and majestic is this senior! He usually keeps his words to himself until he is called upon to speak, and then he pours forth a Platonical volley of words which strike even the teachers with awe. The school would be much better off with more students like Joe and fewer "Jellybeans."

FELICIA GIROLAMO

Home Economics Club '25.

Felicia is one of High School's champion typists. She is quick to learn, and reasons well. For some reason she has retained her raven locks in spite of this age of flappers.

VELMA ESTELLE JOHNSON

"Too wise to err, too good to be unkind."

Purple Pennant Staff '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '24; Dramatic Dabblers '25.

Velma always knows her lesson, and knows it well. More than one has agreed that she looks like Gloria Swanson. Velma has that self-reserved look about her that convinces everybody that she really knows what she's about. We wonder why she's so interested in a Ford coupe?

JOE LAWHON

"Wearing his wisdom lightly."

Joe has succeeded in being a member of our dignified class without becoming the least bit dignified himself. He's as childish as he was in his Freshman days. Joe attributes his beautiful complexion to the use of "Stillman's Freckle Cream."

PEARL GALLOWAY

"'Tis looking down that makes one dizzy."

Glee Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Euterpean Club '25; Harmony Club '25.

Didjuever think of a smart girl and not think of Pearl? These sharks! She's quiet and you can't help liking her. cause she is always so willing to help others. Wonder why she's so faithful in going to B. Y. P. U. every Sunday night?

WILLIE BELLE WHITE

"Why can't they all be contented like me?"
Booster Club '24, '25.

"Billie Belle" loves to talk, and seems to be very accomplished in the art!—and then she took up tennis—what is the reason? She graduated at mid-term, and if it hadn't been for the girls' basketball games we would never have gotten to see her.

HERMAN BERWICK

"His smile will get him anywhere."

Herman came with no flourish of trumpets, nor traveled in gaudy state, but made his good marks simply through his perseverance, personality, and courtesy. His smile is of the noted million variety, and with this sunshiny disposition runs a strain of knowledge that can hardly be excelled.

VERDA HOOKER

"A combination of brains, athletic ability, and friendliness."

Basketball '24, '25; Captain '25; Booster Club '24, '25; "Circle B" Association '24, '25.

Last year was Verda's first year with us, but she made such a hit in basketball that she was elected captain of this year's Girl's Team. Not only was she enthusiastic in basketball, but she was active in all of High's organizations. Verda was also a good student. We wish her the best of luck.

ETHEL MAE WHITE

"No end to all I can do."

Freshman Chorus '22; Booster Club '24, '25; Orchestra '24, '25; Dramatic Dabblers '25; Glee Club '23, '24, '25; Schubert Sextet '25.

Ethel is one of our few quiet girls in the Senior class, and is a musician of note. She is one that you can depend upon at all times;and if hard work and honest endeavor are synonyms with success, we are sure that she will reach the top of the ladder.

VERNON TRENCK

"Speaking of Radio Bugs——"

Junior Hi-Y '22, '23, '24, Secretary '23, President '24; Skippers '24.

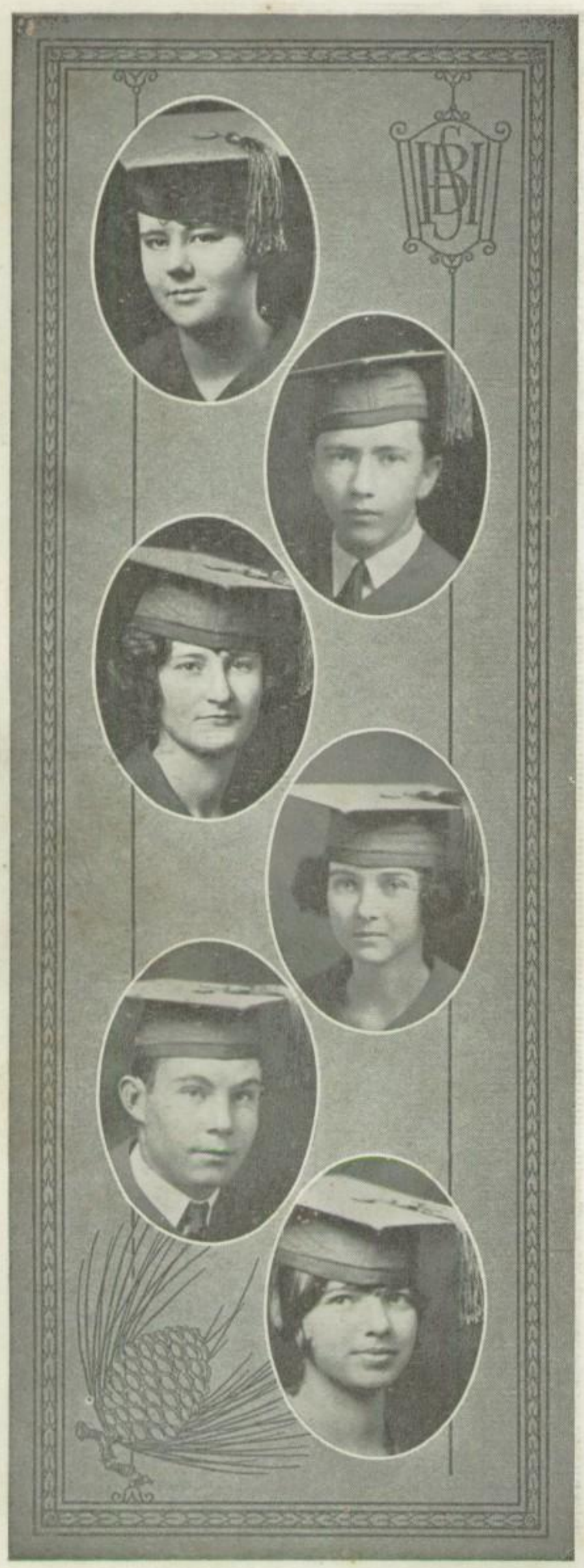
Vernon is in every way a scientific fellow and his special hobby is Radio. He has made "sets" of all kinds and sizes, and has become so expert that we have learned to value his opinion and to consider him an authority. He loves to work, but he has no time to waste on the ladies.

EUGENIA SUBLETTE

"The work must go on."

Student Club '23, '24, '25;Dramatic Dabblers '25.

Eugenia proved herself very talented as an actress when she appeared as the heroine in "Two Crooks and a Lady." She is a very active member of the Girl Reserves and Dramatic Dabblers. Despite all this, she is one of our best students.



JETTIE SHERMAN

"Let ignorance talk as it will,
learning has its value."

Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '22; Dramatic Dabblers '25; Rainbow '25.

When we think of Jettie, we think of a sweet girl, brown curly hair and pretty gray eyes. She will always be remembered for her splendid acting in "Two Crooks and A Lady". We expect to find her someday in Hollywood or some hall of fame.

DAVID ROUTON

"Begone, Dull Care, Thou and
I shall never agree."

Skippers '24; Glee Club '24, '25.

David is red-headed, but he can't help it. This defect was once a source of discomfort to him, but lately his aversion to the "vivid hue" has changed to admiration. It is rumored that beneath his "flaming crown of glory" lies a brain that teachers sometimes succeed in awakening.

CLAUDIA DERR

"Her hair was not more sunny
than her heart."

Booster Club '25; Home Economics Club '25.

Everyone who knows Claudia will vouch for her true worthiness. Room 302 was lucky in getting her. She hailed from South Park High, and we surely feel sorry for them that they lost such a splendid student.

ANNIE BELLE FULLER

"An innocent face bespeaks
a quiet mind."

Glee Club '22, '23; Booster Club ,24, '25.

Annie Belle is one of the most conscientious students in B. H. S. Her report cards fairly overflow with A's and A-pluses, and in the vernacular of the faculty, she is a "joy to teach".

CANDLER GORDON

"A likeable sort of a fellow
is he."

Glee Club '25.

Candler hasn't been in old B. H. S. very long, but since he has been here he has made a host of friends and demonstrated what a good fellow he is. He is gifted with a good voice, and we hope that some day he will be another Caruso.

JEWEL GRAHAM

"Born for success she seemed."

Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Student Club '23, '24; Dramatic Dabblers '25, President '25.

Jewel is as careful of her words as of her actions and as far from speaking ill as doing ill. She realizes that the best prize life offers is to work hard at work worth doing. We hear she has made a mighty fine president for the "Dramatic Dabblers".

MARY ELLEN HODGSON

"Everything beautiful is lovable."

Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Rainbow '23, '24, '25.

Mary Ellen is another one of those quiet, unassuming Seniors who are so startlingly pretty. She has made an enviable record in High School, and has been a valuable addition to this Senior Class of ours.

ALBERT S. JACKSON

"Albert leads in every class while we other dubs just pass."

Albert is a natural born mathematician, and since he has been with us he has certainly shown his ability along that line. He doesn't talk much, but when he says something it means a lot. He's a good chap, and we all like him.

JIMMIE DEAN

"She puts her troubles in the bottom of her heart, sits on the lid, and smiles."

Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '23, '24, '25; Freshman Choral Club '22; Dramatic Dabblers '25, Vice President '25; Basketball '24, '25, Manager '25; Home Economics Club '25; Sponsor Maid '24; Circle "B" Association '24, '25.

The manager and star center of the Girls' Basket-ball Team has created quite a place for herself in B. H. S. Most of the time it would be impossible to recognize Jimmie on account her many bandages, were it not for her being with Ruth Hooks. How did you enjoy the Waco trip, Jimmie? We heard that lovely things happened.

ALINE THOMPSON

"Such geniuses are rarely found."

News Staff '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Dramatic Dabblers '25.

The courts of the ancient kings used to have story-tellers—B. H. S. has one in Aline. Such tales as she tells! She has taken time from her stories, though, to do creditable work in her studies and to take a teachers exam, so look out for the school-ma'm next year!

WILLIAM D. DOUGLAS

"He has a very winning smile, studies his lessons, once in a while."

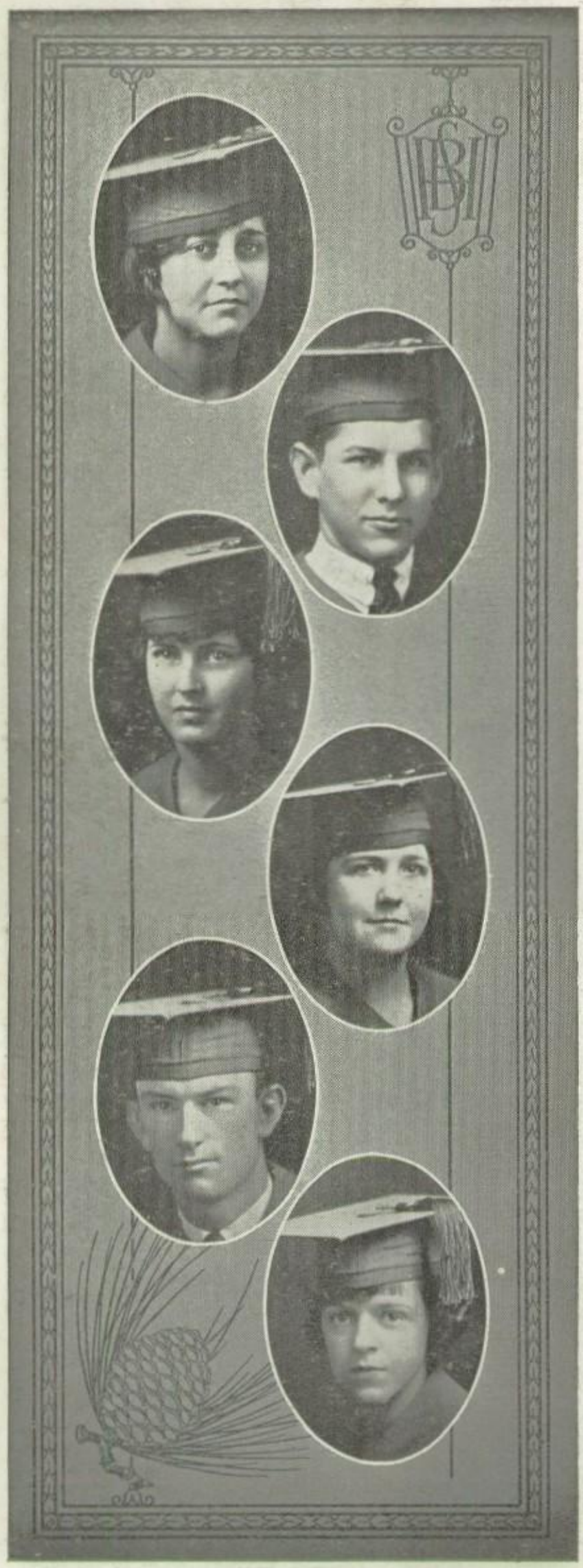
Bill talks a lot, plays a lot, eats a lot but still seems to know a lot. He doesn't care much for the ladies, but perhaps this fault will be remedied when he meets the right one. Good luck to you, William.

LUCILE KATHERINE MOORE

"How soon a smile can change the world."

Glee Club '24; Booster Club '23, '24, '25.

Lucile is that dignified Senior who is always giggling! She is a sure cure for the blues. Lucile is very industrious, and is a typewriting shark—she will make some man a fine————————stenographer (?). We're with you, kid!



SADIE ROSEN

"Why should I worry."

Booster Club '24, '25.

With a smile on her face and always behind time—however, Sadie gets there. When she does get there, she is so cheerful and so efficient that we heartily agree with the old maxim: "Better late than never."

MASON T. MILAM

"Dumb, but willing."

Orchestra '22, '23, '24, '25; Scouts '22, '23; Band '24, '25.

Mason is certainly versatile when it comes to music—he can play any instrument either in the Band or Orchestra. Usually the "burdens" of these organizations lie on his shoulders—its a good thing he is strong and can drive a Ford. He isn't always enthusiastic about his school work, but he pulls through just the same.

ERSELLE PORTER

"I cannot make my eyes behave."

Erselle graduated at mid-term, and her pretty face was surely missed in the halls of the dear ole school. We often find beauty and we often find brains, but rarely do we find a combination of the two such as Erselle possesses. She is now making good in a downtown office.

MABEL McDONALD

"Though you unjustly scorn
I cannot change as
others do."

Glee Club '24, '25; Student Club '23; Booster Club '24, '25; Rainbow '23, '24, '25.

Her most marked characteristic is making up her mind and sticking to it. Mabel doubled in her work to be one of our '25 class. Good judgment! Success will surely come to such a one.

JOHN BLANCH

"Toil is the secret of success."

De Molay '25.

John is one of these dreamers who care not for such common-place things as math. He never appears to be shy except when the teachers call on him. Many of the flappers have their eyes on John's new car.

JULIA MAE LANDRY

"Of disposition gentle and fair."

Booster Club '24, '25.

Julia Mae never talks without thinking, but often thinks without talking. She has a disposition we all admire and envy. Her kindness and generosity are not accomplishments; they are natural.

ERLINE ELKINS

"Ambition never goes unrewarded."

Orchestra '22, '23, '24, '25; Glee Club '22, '23, '24; Purple Pennant Staff '25; Home Economics Club '25, Vice President '25; Schubert Sextet '25.

To become efficient in music seems to be Erline's ambition. Even now she is one of the mainstays in the Orchestra and Sextet. She has made a good exchange editor for the Purple Pennant, and in doing so has developed several "crushes" on different lines.

ROBERT WIER

"A smiling face, and mischief in his eyes."

Robert, lovingly called "Red", has surrounded himself with many friends during his year's stay with us, who agree unanimously that he is a "mighty good sport" and is worth knowing.

JUANITA ANDERSON

"True humility, the highest virtue."
Glee Club '25; Booster Club '25.

Juanita is a very modest little Senior, but she really shouldn't be. She has made nothing but A's and A pluses since she came to B. H. S. Every class has its wonderful student, and Juanita certainly is ours.

FREDERICK FITZGERALD

"The path of duty is the way to glory."

Student Club '24; Booster Club '24, '25.

Frederick has worked hard ever since she entered B. H. S., and graduation will be a happy day for her. She is a quiet, unobstrusive girl, and always minds her own business. Although she has a boy's name, she is not at all boisterous.

HAROLD SMITH

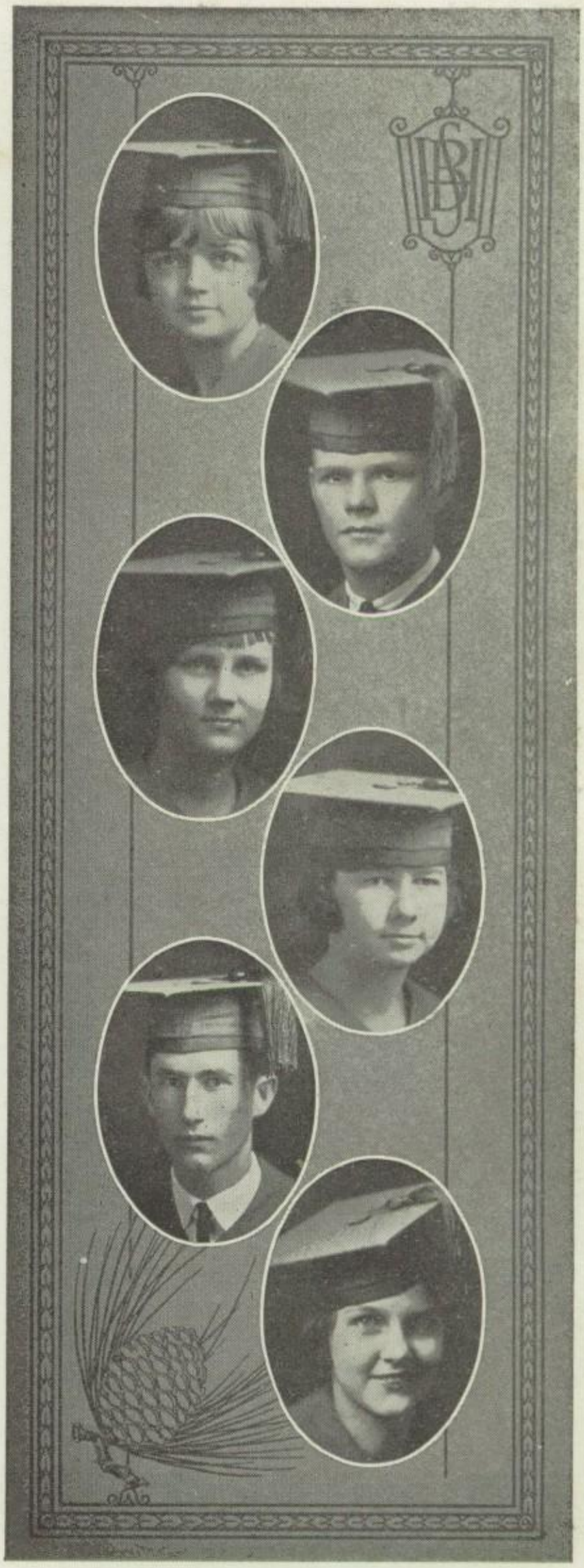
"Deny him merit if you can."

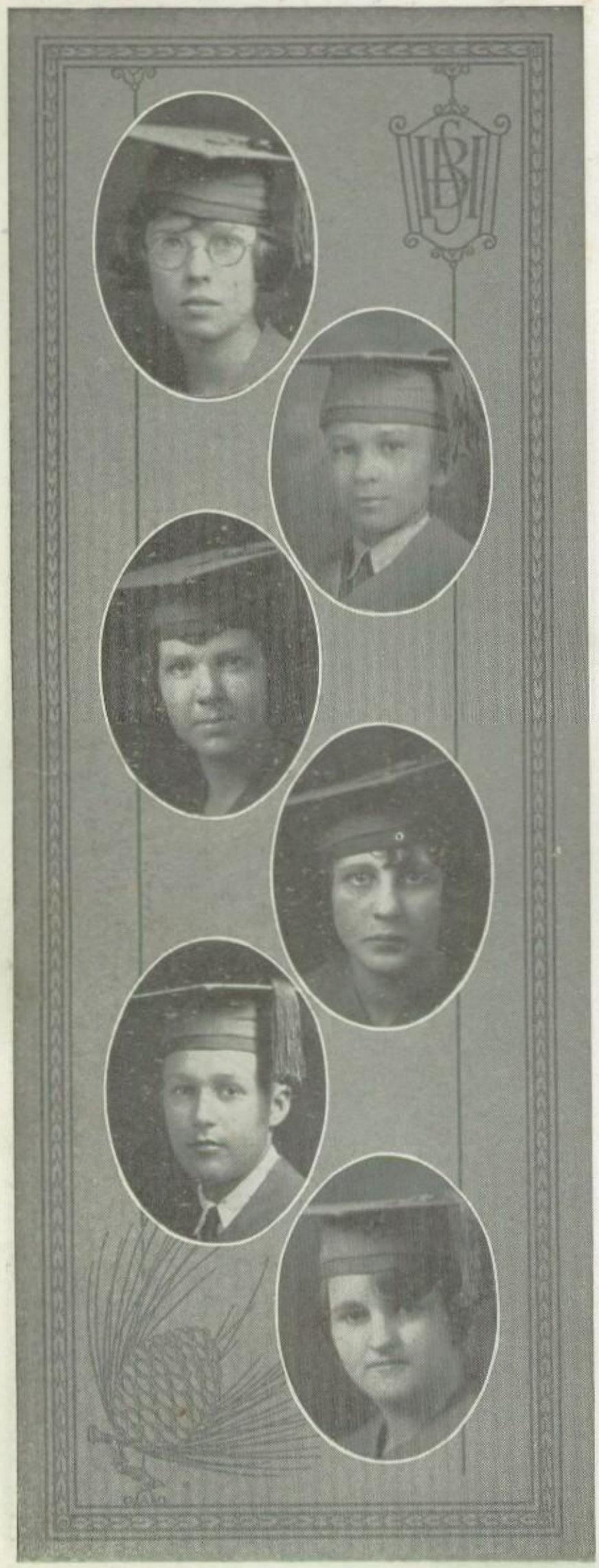
A very quiet, gentlemanly fellow—that's Harold. If the teachers had failed to call on him in class, no one would have ever known that such a store house of knowledge existed so near by. He left our city immediately after finishing his course at mid-term, but he'll be back in time to receive his "sheep skin."

HANCEL FOWLER

"Her smile goes on forever."

No wonder Hancel smiles, for she is always at the head of her class. This has been her only year here, and we now realize how much we have been missing. We wish you had arrived earlier, Hancel.





LILLIAN ANDERSON

"Great knowledge in this young head doth dwell."

Booster Club '24, '25, Treasurer '25.

Treasurer '25.

Lillian took Houston by storm in the Latin Tournament, and carried off the highest prize awarded, a scholarship to Texas University. We hope that the experience gained from being the efficient treasurer of the Boosters may enable her to make the best possible use of this reward.

HADLEY MELO

"The biggest man in town for his size."

Scouts '23, '24, '25; Secretary Junior Hi-Y '23.

Yes, he is one of the midgets now, but maybe he'll grow! His unusual friendliness is exemplified in every nook and corner of old B. H. S. Hadley can always tune in on trigonometry when the rest of us are troubled with static.

KATHLEEN R. ASHLEY

"Such music sharks are rarely found."

Orchestra '22, '23, '24, '25; Freshman Choral Club '22; Rainbow '24, '25; Schubert Sextet '24, '25.

Kathleen must have an enormous amount of strength to be able to carry that big "fiddle" of hers. With it, however, she becomes the "foundation" for the wonderful music of the Orchestra and Sextet. She has red hair, too.

JULIET PERLSTEIN

"But still her tongue ran on."

Harmony Club '25; Orchestra '22, '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

Whenever you are lonesome, look for Juliet—she can laugh and talk you out of it. She always knows her lessons if she will just take time from her jokes to recite. We hear she is rather interested in Shreveport.

WALTER PIGFORD

"High in statue and in ideals."

Scouts '24, '25.

Walter is one of those boys who are worth their weight in gold, and are indispensable to a real wide-awake school. No more diligent worker nor a better friend can be found than he. We know that he has a great future before him, for a boy of his quality is assured success in everything.

DOROTHY GILLIAM

"Safety lies in speed."

Student Club '22, '23, '24, '25; Dramatic Dabblers '25; Boosters '24, '25; Home Economics Club '25.

This is evidently Dorothy's motto in both speech and actions. Who has not heard her loquacious tongue and ludicrous laughter? She seems to have been able to evade the speed cops in her flight, for we hear there is to be a wedding in June. Dorothy is a splndid pal and an ardent admirer of all good sports.

MARGARET BALSTON

"A mind at peace with all below."

Glee Club '22, '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Home Economics Club '25; Student Club '24, '25; Dramatic Dabblers '25.

Margaret is an authority on matters pertaining to correct syles for dress, having won prizes in state clothing contests on her own "creations". We are glad that her health has improved so that she can graduate with us.

L. VORANCE REDDELL

"Rest first; then work."

Scouts '22, '23, '24, '25; Sea Scouts '25.

When Vorance can coax his brain to work, he has no trouble in doing well any task given him. He has been known to rest all the way through the first half of a course, and, then carry off honors in the examination. We hear he has been casting shy glances. Who is she, Vorance?

HAZEL CONLEE

"A ministering angel thou!"

Speaking of real students, Hazel is a wonderful example of one. Pretty, sweet and a hard worker, she is a joy to the teacher's hearts. What else could one desire?

ROSA MAE STAPLETON

"A friendly one is twice welcomed."

Rainbow '23, '24, '25; Boosters '24, '25; Student Club '24; Glee Club '24, '25; Home Economics Club '25; Dramatic Dabblers '25.

Rosa Mae has learned the secret of "Fifteen minutes a day." Whether or not she has taken this elevating little correspondence course is a dark secret which even she will not reveal, but however that may be, she certainly has the "gift of gab." In addition to this, she probably took a course at the Woman's Institute, for she's quite an accomplished seamstress.

CALVIN WHITE

"Ignorance is bliss, and I am
supremely happy."

De Molay '22, '23, '24, '25; Hi-Y '24, '25; Boy Scouts '22, '23, '24, '25; Assistant Scout Master '22, '23, '24, '25; Orchestra '23, '24.

To know or not to know, it's all the same to Calvin! He doesn't believe in worrying his head over such trifles; he prefers to sleep instead. He loves music and is expert in playing the saxaphone. Maybe——, who knows?

GLADYS STAHL

"True as the dial to the sun."

Gladys is a type rarely found. She is very faithful and true to her studies, and always makes good in them. She always wears a smile and is everybody's friend .Wonder why she goes to Sour Lake so often? We're afraid Sour Lake will win her back someday!

AGNES PALMER

"I leave thy praises unexpressed."

Glee Club '25; Junior Harmony '25, Vice President; Home Economics Club '25, Secretary; Booster Club '25.

Agnes' praises can hardly be expressed. She has a good voice and plays the violin splendidly. Besides these talents, she is a Home Economics star and makes all sorts of "creations." She has been a valuable asset to our class.

PRICE JOHNSON

"Rogue in spirit and Knight in grain."

Price has a sense of humor that is hard to beat. We can see by his example that successful men and women are never chronic grumblers. He has, with very slight trouble, won the friendship of the entire school.

ANNIE GLOBER

"Coquettish eyes, coquettish charms,
coquettish heart, no harm done."

Girls Glee Club '25.

Annie is the admired possessor of all of these. She's commercially inclined, as is shown by her typing medals and correct book-keeping records. Her wide circle of friends proves that she has a sweet disposition.

RUBY TRUETT

"Quiet but none the less effective."

Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '22, '23, '24, '25.

Ruby did valuable work on this annual by being stenographer for us. She is very quiet, but we always know when she's around, because of her efficiency. We have heard that Ruby is in love. but we don't know who the lucky young man is.

ISADORE FLECKMAN

"A heart so manly and so kind."

Debating Club '25; Scouts '24, '25.

Isadore is one of the most valuable assets of the Senior class. He is an exellent student, having worked hard throughout his High School days. He is sure to be a great success some of these days.

MARY AGNES CLAIBORNE

"How wonderful is the human voice."

Rainbow '24, '25; Student Club '22; Glee Club '22, '23, '24, '25.

Mary Agnes, the girl with the cheerie "Hello" and "Hithere," is the class tomboy. She is noted for her studying (?). Many noises in the halls can be traced to Mary for her pep knows no bounds.

LILLIAN HOFFER

"Beauty is its own excuse
for being."

Euterpean Club '24, '25; Glee Club '25, Vice President '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

Lillian is pretty—no one doubts it. She interprets literature well, and is a splendid reader. Someone said her aspirations are to be attained in the movie world.

JAMES AUSTIN MUSICK

"He got here just the same."

Scouts '24; De Molay '24, '25; Debating Club '25.

We wonder how James did it, but anyhow he did. He is very studious, even though he is a glutton for fun. His place will be hard to fill next year, because there's not another like him.

ALLIE MAE HUITT

"Let me have music and I seek
no more delight."

Student Club '21, '22, '23, '24; Orchestra '22, '23, '24, '25; Glee Club '22, '23, '24, '25, Pianist; Booster Club '23, '24, '25; Euterpean Club '25.

Who has not heard of Allie Mae? Her faithfulness in cooperating with the B. H. S. Orchestra will long be remembered. She not only plays for the school, but for various functions in the city; and while we owe her our earnest appreciation, we are looking forward to the day when with her dignity, charm, and talent, she will rival, perhaps even Paderewski.

EDNA EARL JOHNSON

"Not slothful in business."

Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '23, '25; Home Economics Club '25; Junior Harmony Club '25; Freshman Choral Club '22.

"Joy riding" on the Port Arthur road does not appeal to Edna Earl as it once did. She spends most of her time now making out budgets of household expenses and creating new models of dress—still she claims she is to be an old maid. We wonder!!

PHILIP ROSENTHAL

"E Pluribus Unum."

Scouts '22, '23, '24, '25.

Philip and his ever present cross word puzzle—a combination that would make even the gods sit up and take notice. We know none who is more efficient in the art of keeping up with the price of bananas. He is always ready with the goods even though it sometimes takes him quite a while to deliver them. Good luck, Philip!

LOUISE TATUM

"She talks much that has least to say."

We sometimes think Louise likes us, and then we wonder. It seems hard for her to make up her mind as to which class she likes best. At present, she has given us the "sack"; we're sorry, Louise.

LEAH SOBEL

"Just a bit wise for the rest of us."

Rainbow '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '25.

Leah is a very sympathizing girl, so everyone likes her. She is a very gifted poet—once she wrote a whole theme in poetry! Her eyes would make a Sphinx take notice.

JOHN HOWARD LAND

"A thought in the head is worth two in a book."

Scouts '22, '23, '24, '25.

A bright smile, a correct answer, and John are usually together. It seems that some people were born to be bright and receive good grades, and John is one of them. We will miss him next year.

MARGUERITE SUMPF

"A heroine in the strife."

Marguerite, much to our regret, had to leave us because of ill-health. She was a splendid student, especially in English History, but we are not surprised, as England is her native land.

IRMA JOSIE HOLLIMAN

"Music makes the soul and lifts it high."

Orchestra '22, '23, '24, '25; Rainbow '24, '25; Junior Harmony Club '24; Euterpean Club '25; Booser Club '24, '25; Home Ecnomics Club '25.

Irma spends two periods every day in our Music Department. She plays the violin in the Orchestra, is an interested student of Harmony, and sings in the Glee Club. Between times she studies more commonplace things, such as English and Math.

J. RICHARD MOTHNER

"Ah! Take the cash and let the credit go."

Scouts '22, '23, '24, '25; S. L. A. '23, '24.

Richard is not so strong in his school work, but he keeps plugging along and may become a student someday. We don't know what he aspires to be, but we feel sure that he will be a success in anything he tries, largely because of his natural business instincts.

HELEN HECHT

"Say it with dust."

Glee Club '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Junior Harmony Club '24, '25.

Helen runs all four "legs" off her Chevrolet every day, and it is a wonder to many of us how her father can keep her supplied with tires. After school hours, she can always be seen on the "drag". She is also accomplished in the art of making "goo-goo" eyes—Sometimes, but not often, she studies.

WINONA ETHERIDGE

"A happy genius is the gift of nature."

Glee Club '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Student Club '24; Freshman Choral Club '22.

Winona is surely a genius in shorthand and typewriting, as may be attested to be the wonderful grades she makes in those subjects, and we predict that she will be a high-salaried private secretary one of these days. That she is also happy may be seen in her ever-smiling face.

JOHN WYNN

"A prince of good fellows."

If you want to know the answer to any hard prob'em just ask John. He is one of the shining lights in chemistry, and we hear that he intends to be a chemical engineer. John has a girl, too.

LECIE A. LOVE

"Patience is powerful."

Student Club '22, '23; Booster Club '24, '25; Dramatic Dabblers '25; Glee Club '24.

Lecie works well, plays well, and seems not to worry over the consequences. What's the use?—things just naturally come out all right for such creatures as she is. The teachers all like her, but she **will** chew gum.

WILMA STONER

"There never was a minute that she wasn't in it."

Boosters '24, '25; Glee Club '24, '25; Dramatic Dabb'ers '25; Home Economics Club '25, President '25.

Wilma has no time to waste, for the President of the Home Economics Club has had to see that everything in "her line" was up to the proper standard. She is interested in all of High School's activities, and finds time to make quite a few A's on the side.

EUGENE HONSBERGER

"I live in the country, I'm sorry to say;
When I get to the city, I can't
find my way."

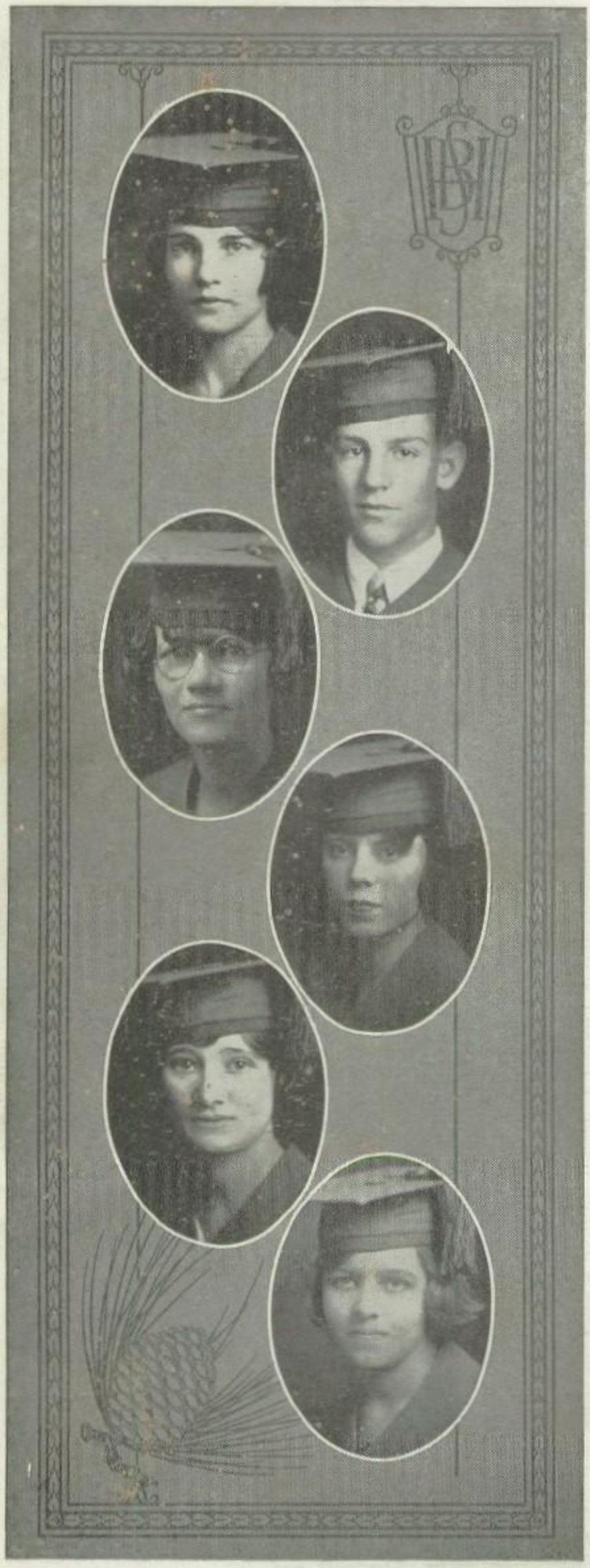
"Gene" is one of those jolly fellows who gets along well with everybody in school. He has a happy go-lucky manner, and his studies never worry him, but just the same we know he is made of the right stuff.

LYDIA FOUNTAIN

"She is a Fountain of delight."

Glee Club '25; Home Economics '25.

Lydia is one of the Kountze girls that has indeed proved "ever loyal to the Purple." She is noted for miles around and her good humor. We are indeed glad that she decided to end her High School days with us.



MARY FURRY

"A gentle priestess of the wise."

Freshman Choral Club '22; Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '25.

Such girls as Mary are a credit to the Senior class or to any place where they may be. Not only is she a "Priestess of the wise," but a most lovable and friendly girl, and one of the people who makes this world a brighter and better place to live in.

GUY H. FOX

"Sadness is the poison of
the soul."

Hi-Y '22; Scouts '22; Skippers '25; Debating Club '25, President '25; Purple Pennant Staff '25.

Guy is "foxy" sure enough in Chemistry—just ask Mr. Mullikin. We all have ambitions and Guy's is to rival "Bill" Tilden, the tennis champion. The word "smile" in Guy's vocabulary is spelled g-r-i-n.

ANNA PLUMMER

"So rich within, so pure without art thou
with modest mien and soul of
virtue rare."

Student Club '22, '23; Glee Club '25; Harmony Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

Anna is one of those happy people who number their friends by their acquaintances. She also makes a "rippin" good club secretary, forgetting the minutes only now and then. She finished at mid-year.

MILDRED FEIGELSON

"No padlock, bolts, or bars can secure a maiden
so well as her own reserve."

Student Club '21; Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '24.

Mildred has been a member of B. H. S. for four years, and each year she has endeared herself more to everyone. There have been many envious glances at Mildred's auburn locks. Good luck, Mildred, always.

KITTIE DUNN

"Her looks do argue her replete
with modesty."

It was always such a temptation to the "wits" in the class to call, "Kittie, Kittie," on the first day of school when Kittie gave her name, but she took it good-naturedly and joined in the fun. Though not one of the "big noises" at High School, this little blond Senior has made many friends in B. H. S.

IRENE WALLER

"Sweet and smiling are thy ways."

Boosters '24, '25; Glee Club '24, '25.

Irene is quiet and modest and prefers to listen rather than to do the talking herself, but when called upon she can give surprisingly excellent class reports. She is a most friendly little Senior, and old B. H. S. will miss her very much.

KATHLEEN VAN METER

"Her rare smile is sweet with certainties."

Glee Club '25; Rainbow '25; Booster Club '24, '25.

Kathleen has been an excellent student ever since she came to High School. In the future she will either pose for ads of "A skin you love to touch" or for "Danderine.

LOUIS CASTELLANOS

"He is very bashful, methinks at the girls he never winks."

Skippers '24.

Louis is one of our hard working boys who is always striving to keep at the head of his classes —a good example for us to follow. He is always ready and willing to lend a hand wherever it will do any good.

VICTORIA MONSIEUR

"My tongue is my best asset."

Booster Club '24, '25; Glee Club '25.

Victoria may not be fond of studying, but she never misses an opportunity for a friendly chat. While we would not call her vain, she is very fond of her vanity and may be seen "making up" at all hours.

JUANITA JONES

"Think twice before you speak."

Student Club '24, '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Dramatic Club '25.

In acquiescence to this old proverb, Juanita shows herself as an expert. She speaks slowly after deep meditation, and is seldom wrong. We expect great things of her.

LILLIAN GALLIER

"Still achieving, still pursuing."

Lillian is a very quiet little Senior. We wonder if she has a dark past that she is trying to conceal, but we can't find out. At any rate she has been a hard working student this year.

MARTHA GRACE LINVILLE

"Sincere and kind."

Glee Club '22, '23, '25; Home Economics Club '25; Booster Club '24, '25; Rainbow '24, '25.

Martha Grace is a girl who is always smiling wherever she goes and has a cheery word for everyone. A typical Senior is she—tall, well dressed, and capable. We foresee great success for her, and wish her the best that life can offer.

MAUDE DYSON

"Her ways are ways of pleasantness."
Booster Club '24, '25.

Maude, with her enviable smile and pleasing personality, is a friend to everyone. She is a very capable student and one whom we are proud to call classmate.

HARRY MASON

"Contentment gives a crown."

B. H. S. is fortunate in having such a boy as Harry. He has such a weakness for Economics that he is planning to write a book on "How to Run the World." He left us at mid-term and is now a business man.

NELLIE OPAL WOMACK

"A smiling face gives many a grace."
Student Club '24, '25.

Opal is a true example of a smiling school girl. With her high standing in grades and her interest in High School she has proven her worthiness as a Senior.

MORFYDD JEPSON

"Success will have to hustle to keep away from me."

Morfydd is so sincere in all that she undertakes to do that she always makes good. She is quite an authority on the latest picture shows. She has a beautiful voice and we hear she has already had an offer to go into grand opera!

E. ALLEN SHERRILL

"A lion among the ladies."
De Molay '24, '25.

Allen, with his cheerful smile and friendly ways, has surely won the ladies. Not only is he popular in school, but in school work as well. We admire this worthy Senior and wish for him a great future.

FRANKIE WORK

"Laugh and the world laughs with you
Study and you study alone."
Glee Club '23, '24; Booster Club '24, '25.

We'll have to admit that Frankie had much rather laugh than study, but she certainly can work when she wants to. We'd hardly know what to do in old B. H. S. without this jolly, friendly person. She has a sweet disposition, a generous heart and is a loyal little Senior.

CHARLES WOOD

"Hard work was good for his soul."

Boy Scouts '24, '25.

Charles is so small and looks so young that he is often taken for a Soph. He has been with us only this year so we haven't been able to know him as well as we would like. He thrives on hard work, and is always in a good humor.

MARTHA HADEN

"Better late than never."

Martha has just arrived, having come to B. H. S. at mid-term, so we don't know much about her. Our first impressions, though, are such that make us wish she had appeared earlier.

WYNN NORTHCUT

"Success comes only to those who strive for it."

Wynn is a regular "chip off the old block". He is having a hard time trying to decide whether to be a fancy dancer or a school teacher. But whatever he decides to do, we are sure that he will be a success, for he is very energetic and perseverant.

REESE RYAN

"If at first you flunk,
try, try again."

Boy Scouts '22, '23, '24, '25; Sea Scouts '24, '25; Glee Club '23; Skippers '24.

Reese hasn't been so fast in getting through his subjects, but few of us have room to talk, so we'll just keep quiet about this. Taking him all round, he's a nice "kid", and that's why everybody likes him. We're with you, "Skunk"—don't forget us.

WILLIE MILLER

"A friendly one is twice welcomed."

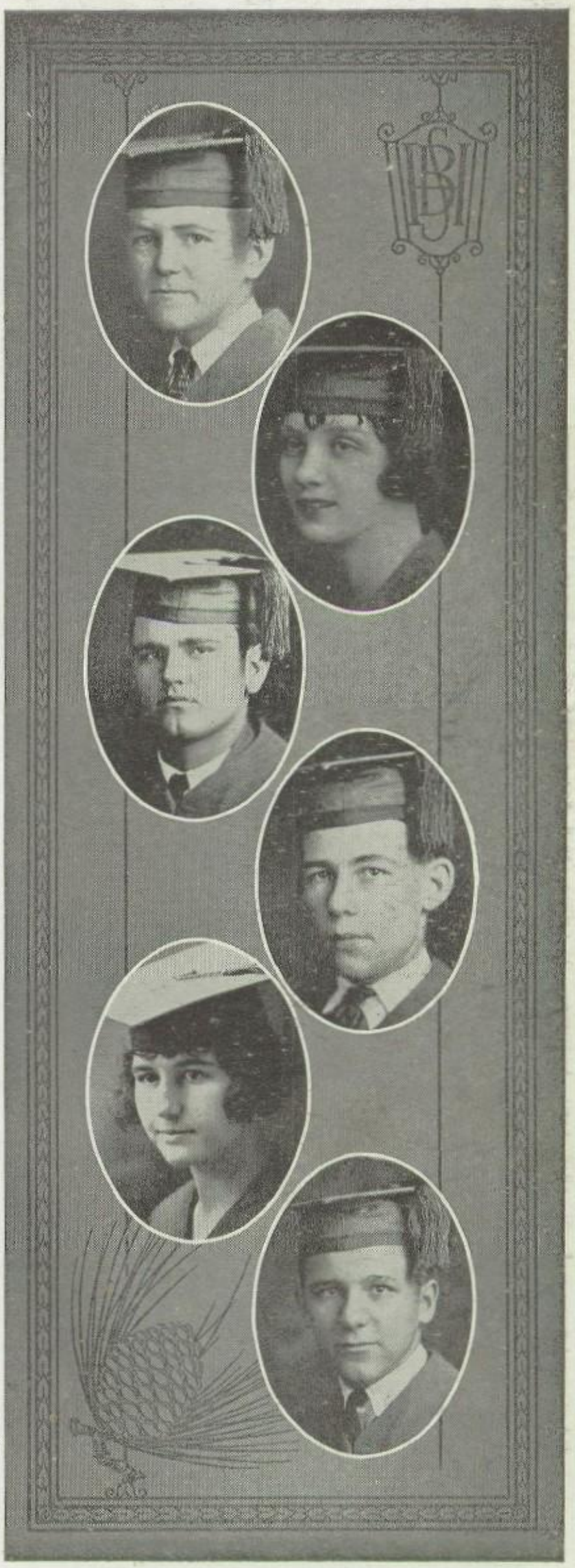
Willie made her first appearance among us in summer school last year, and liked us so well that she decided to receive her diploma from Beaumont instead of South Park. She is naturally quiet, and comes to school only in the afternoons, but manages to let us know that she is around.

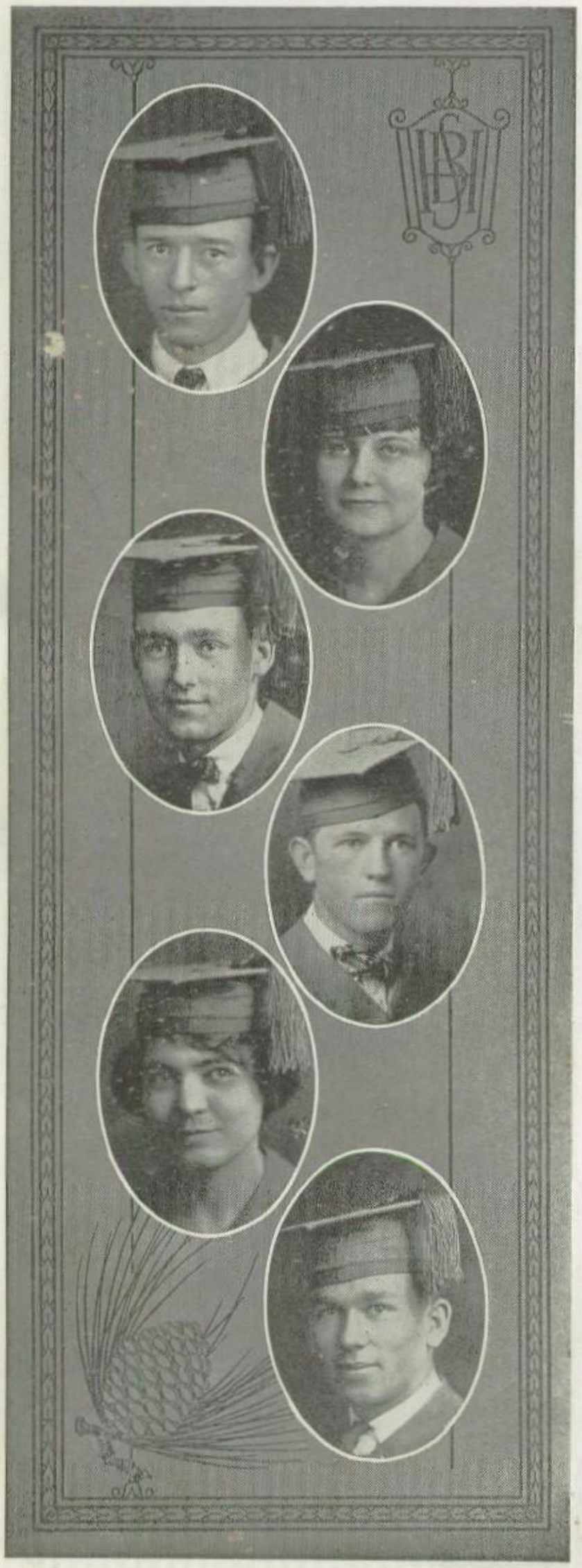
JAMES NOAL MIIA

"He's a mighty likeable feller!"

Hi-Y '23; Football '24; "B" Association '24, '25; Glee Club '24.

Noal is one of our football heroes. He took a long time to decide whether to graduate with us or not. He started to move to Houston, but the class of '25 proved irresistable and he stayed. Noal's favorite pastime is book hiding.





DAN DEARING

"See what money can do—alter man's condition."

Baseball '22, '23, '24, '25; Basketball '23, '25; Treasurer of Junior Class '25.

Immediately after the Junior class elected Dan treasurer, his condition was altered—he suddenly became a Senior. Many times "Dapper" has preferred to spend some of his school time exploring the high seas and foreign countries. He has stayed with us the full time this year, however, filling his accustomed place in sports and assuming the role of ladies' man.

MAYME ALLEN

"I haven't time to be serious."

Mayme wisely decided to leave Port Arthur and come to a good school. Always in for fun, but doing creditable work, Mayme has made herself popular with both teachers and students.

ADRIAN JOSEPH

"Let us then be up and doing."

Adrian manifests obedience to this saying, at least in part. We think he aspires to be a comedian, for he is an adept at using rubber band "nigger shooters," paper balls, etc., even with supervised study. Wonder why he's wearing "balloon trousers" now? Somebody says he's in love.

LEM YEATES

"A finished gentleman from top to toe."

De Molay '24, '25; Glee Club '25; Boy Scouts '22, '23; Purple Pennant '25.

A quiet gentlemanly sort of fellow is "Lemuel." He is one of our class dreamers, and we wonder how many cherished dreams will come true. He studies between dreams.

JENNIE VIC McCULLOH

"So faithful in love, and so dauntless in war."

"B" Association; Kackler Klub; Booster Club; Pine Burr Staff.

We consider Miss Jennie our very own because she was with us when we were Juniors and has been with us again this year. She is luckier than most girls because she is loved by every athlete in B. H. S.. Unlike most popular girls, she is loved by those of the fair sex as well as by those of the strong. "This demure maid has won many friends by her sweet smile." By the way, Miss Jen, why don't you advise him to use triple strength Othine?

HOLLY MILLER BROCK

"He would stop and argue with a mile post."

Football '24; Basketball '23, '24, '25, Captain '25; Track '25; Baseball '22, '23, '24, '25; "B" Association '22, '23, '24, '25; Hi-Y '23, '24, '25; De Molay '25; Vice-President Junior Class '24; Editor of the Pine Burr '25; Glee Club '25.

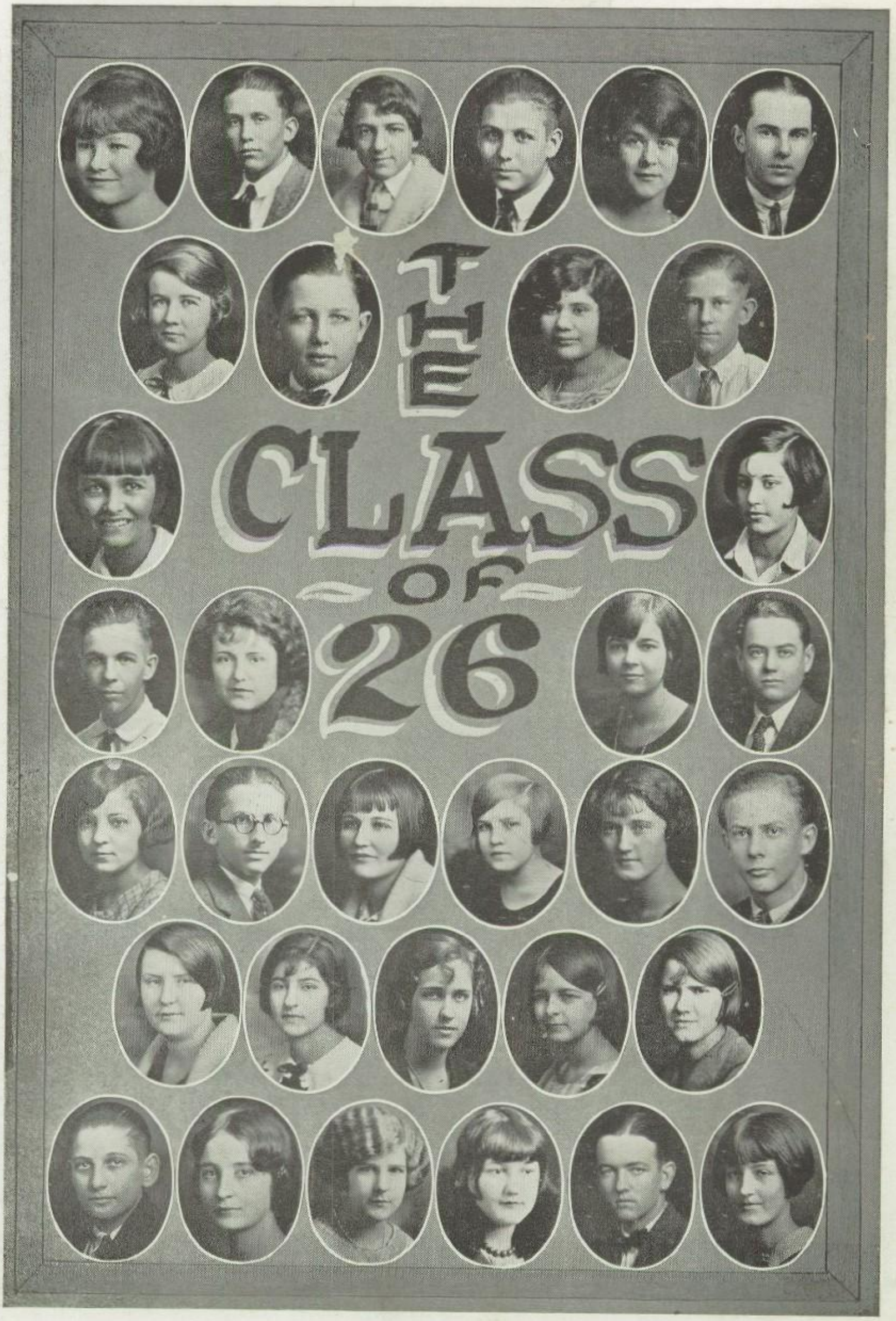
The busiest man who roams the halls of B. H. S. this year is our "hardboiled" Editor. This all-around boy has lettered in all four major sports, being Captain and all-state forward of Basketball, has been active in De Molay, Hi-Y, and "B" Association, and has received honorable mention as a lover. It is said that he tried out for Glee Club, but the results are not for publication.

Jungfrau
LWALKER

THE CLASS OF '26

SAM BALLIEW.....*President*
DORIS TATUM.....*Vice-President*
BETTY GREER.....*Secretary*
DAN DEARING.....*Treasurer*

Early in September, nineteen hundred and twenty-two, we, the class of '26, started out as sober-minded, ambitious Freshmen. At the appointed time, we stole cautiously in the front door by twos and threes in order not to attract any more attention from haughty Seniors and superior Juniors than absolutely necessary; we crept to our class rooms, and very seriously commenced our career in "ole B. H. S." In October we furtively elected Doris Tatum, president; and then, in November we mustered our courage and timidly advanced the same lovely Doris for most popular girl. Through that whole school year we struggled bravely and conscientiously, but we emerged from the final examinations rather weary and disillusioned. However, the next year most of us returned to the then familiar halls with an assumd sophistication that carried us successfully through both terms. September, 1924, we sailed blithely into the peaceful harbor of the Juniors. These pleasant waters have been so enticing that quite a few of us are reluctant to leave. However, the Class of '26 must live up to its name and be Seniors in '26, so we will raise our anchor and continue our way to glory.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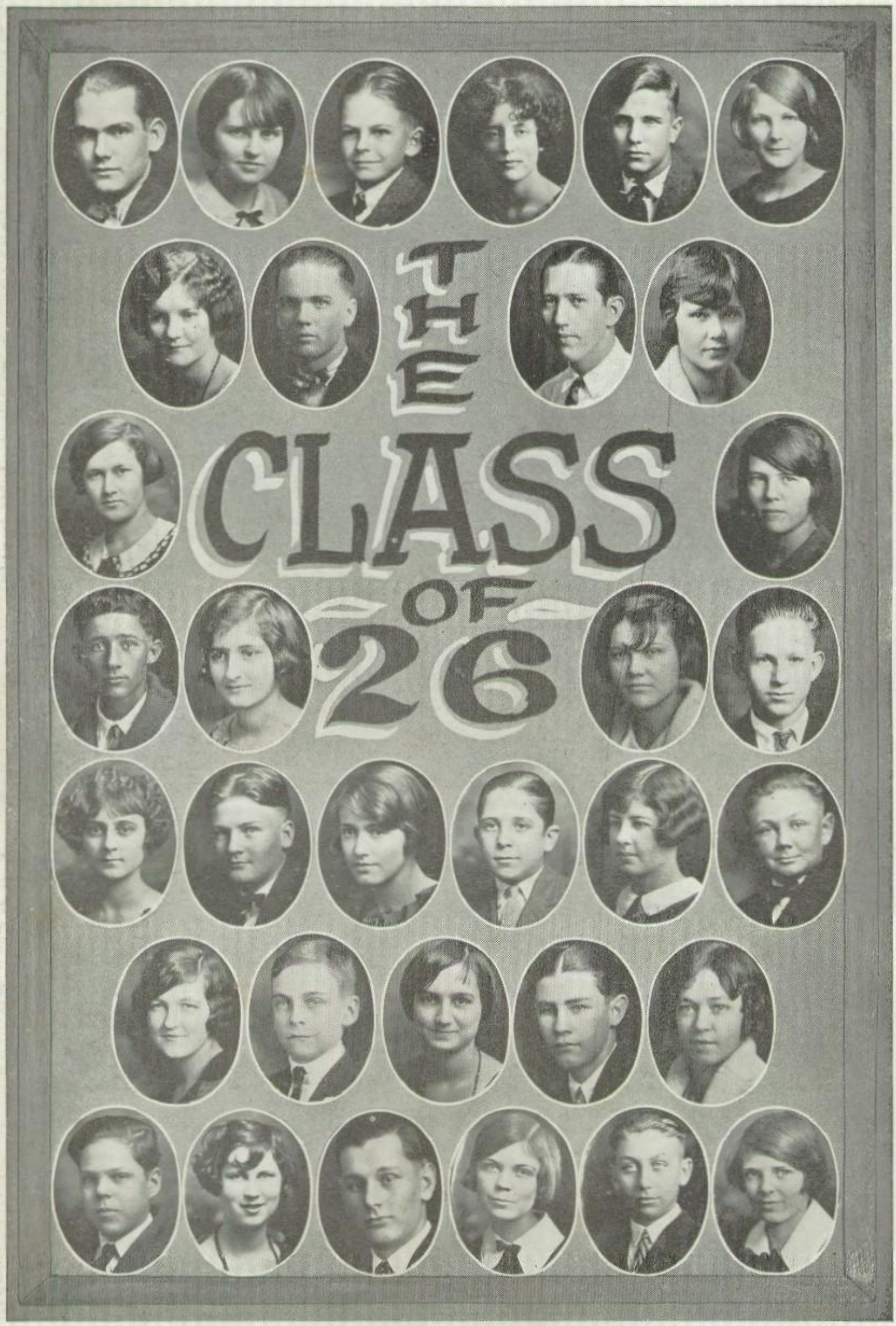
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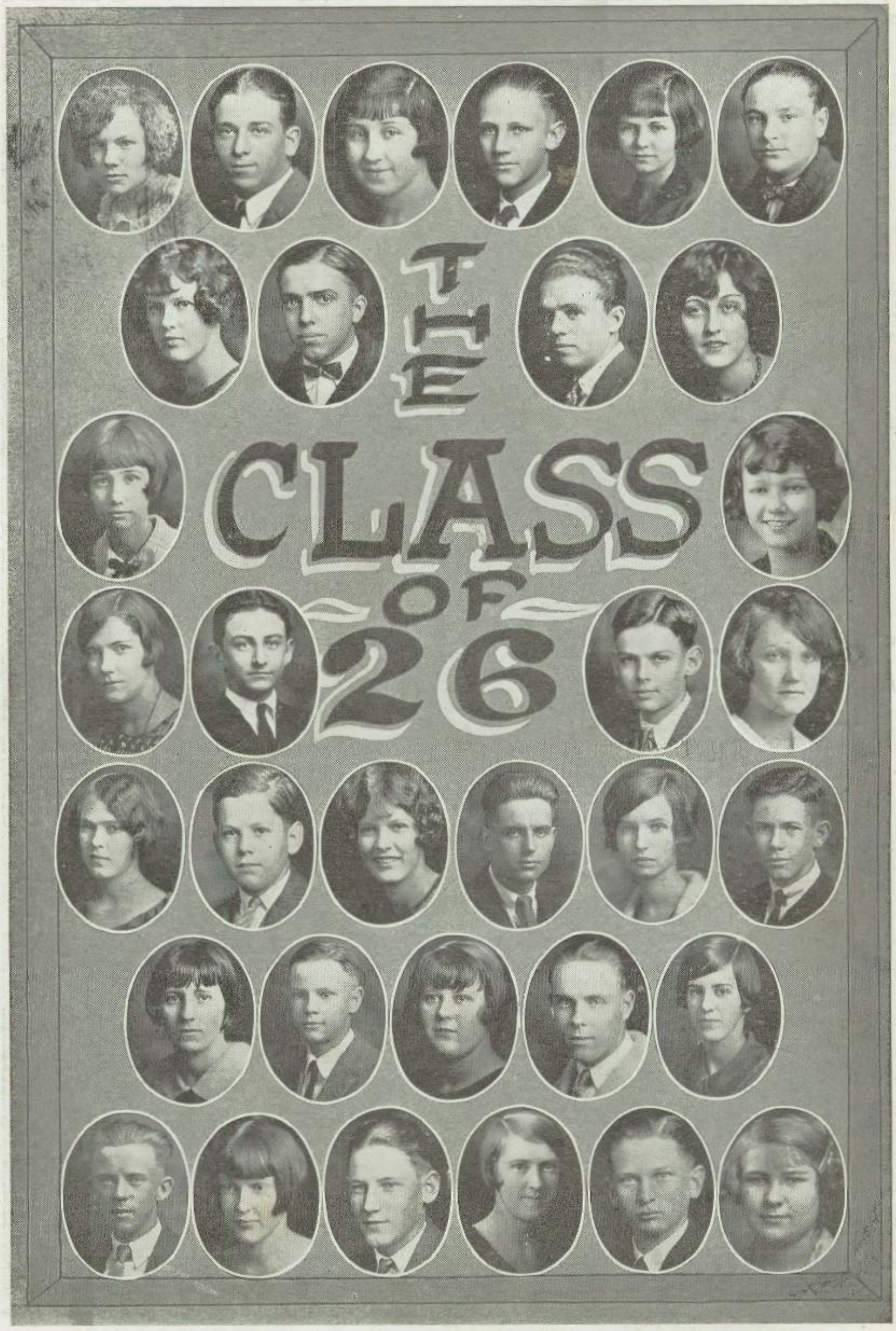
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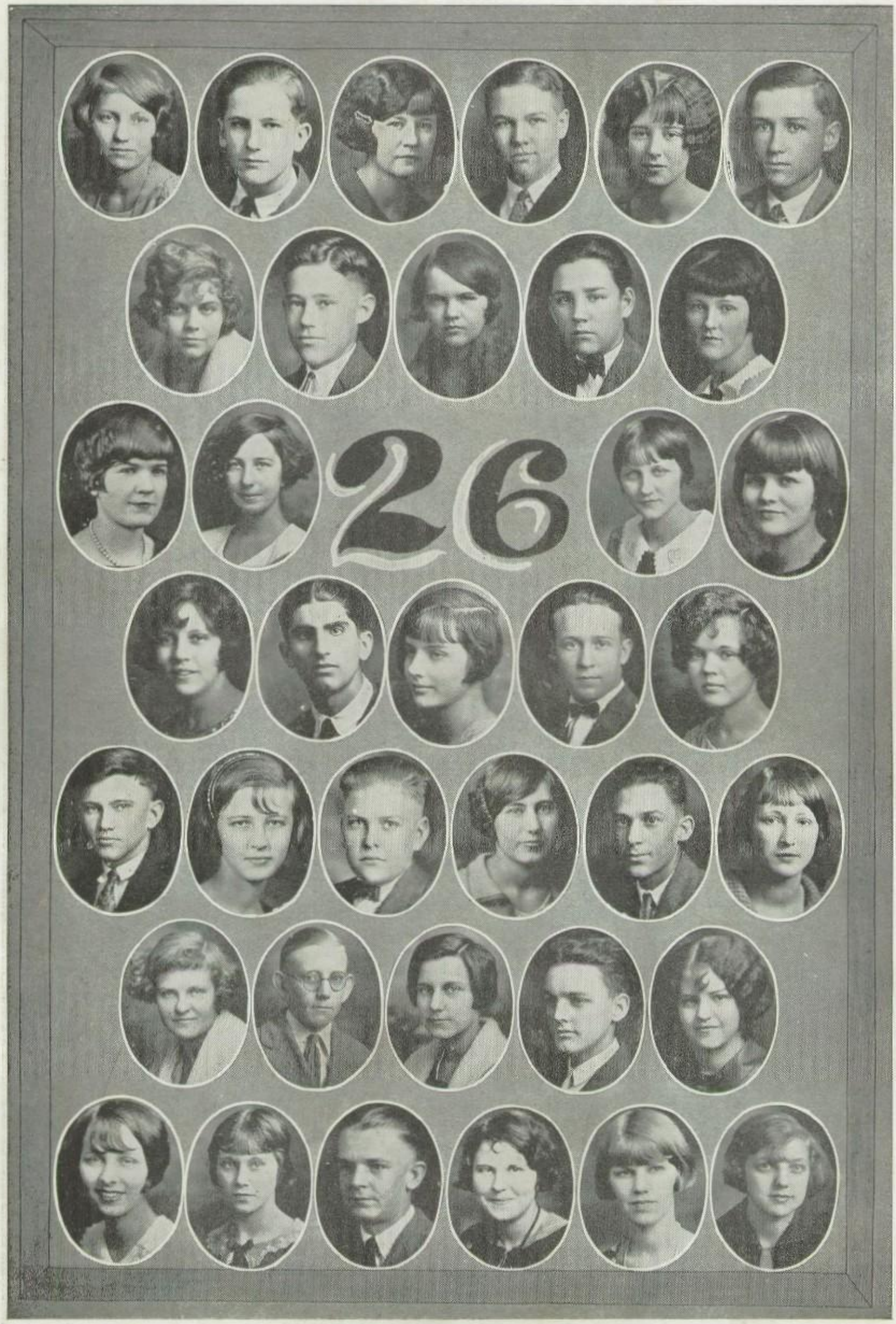
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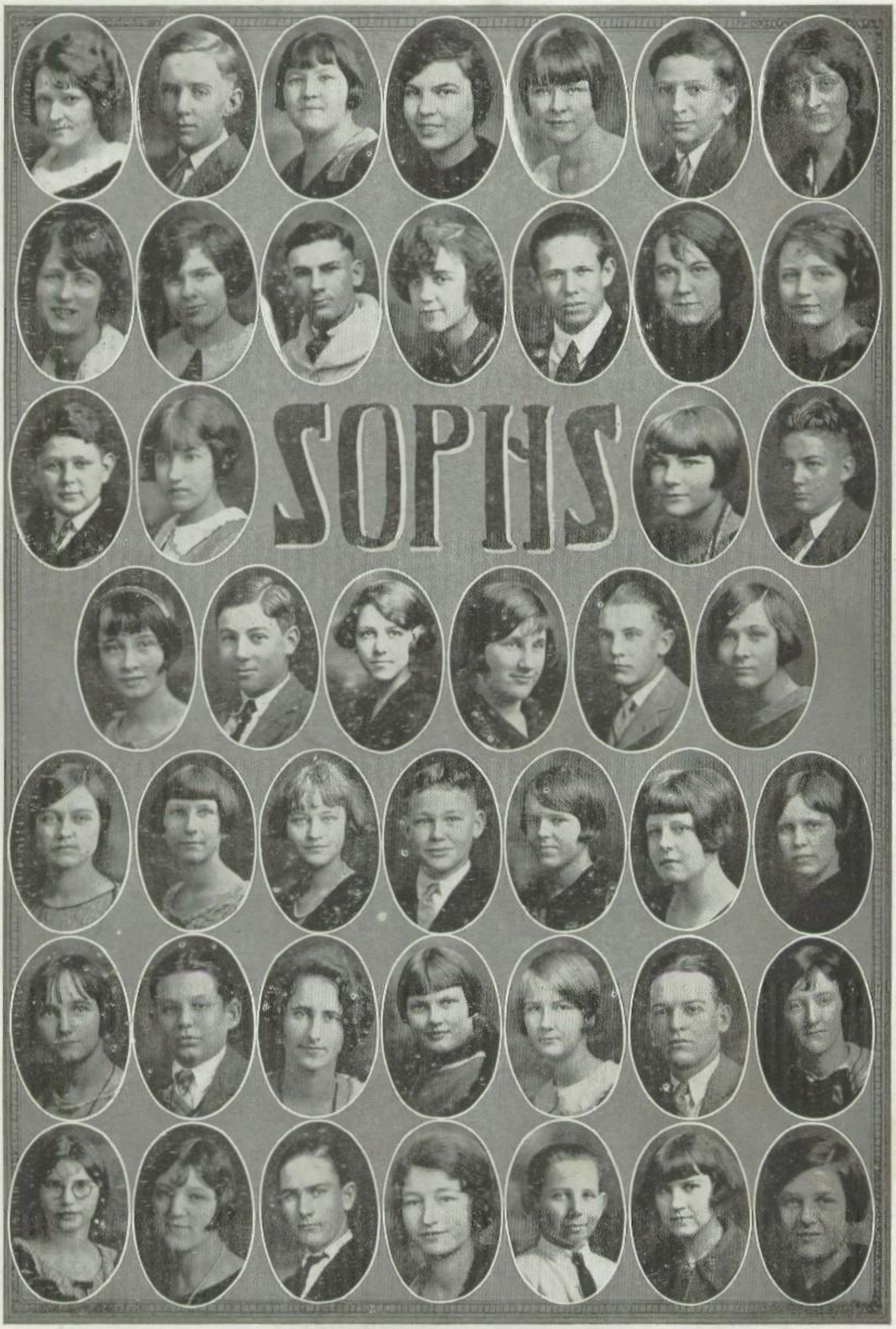
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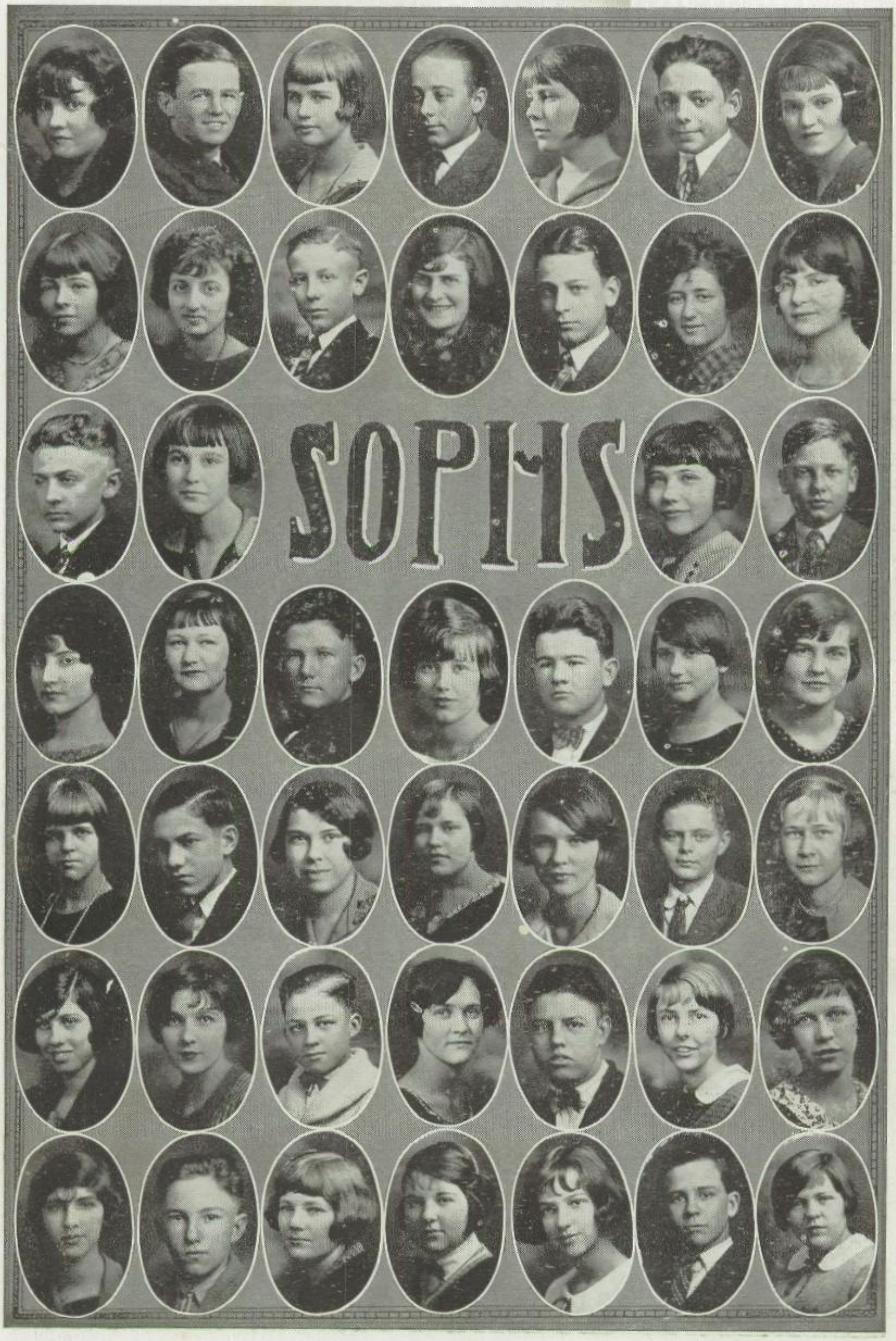
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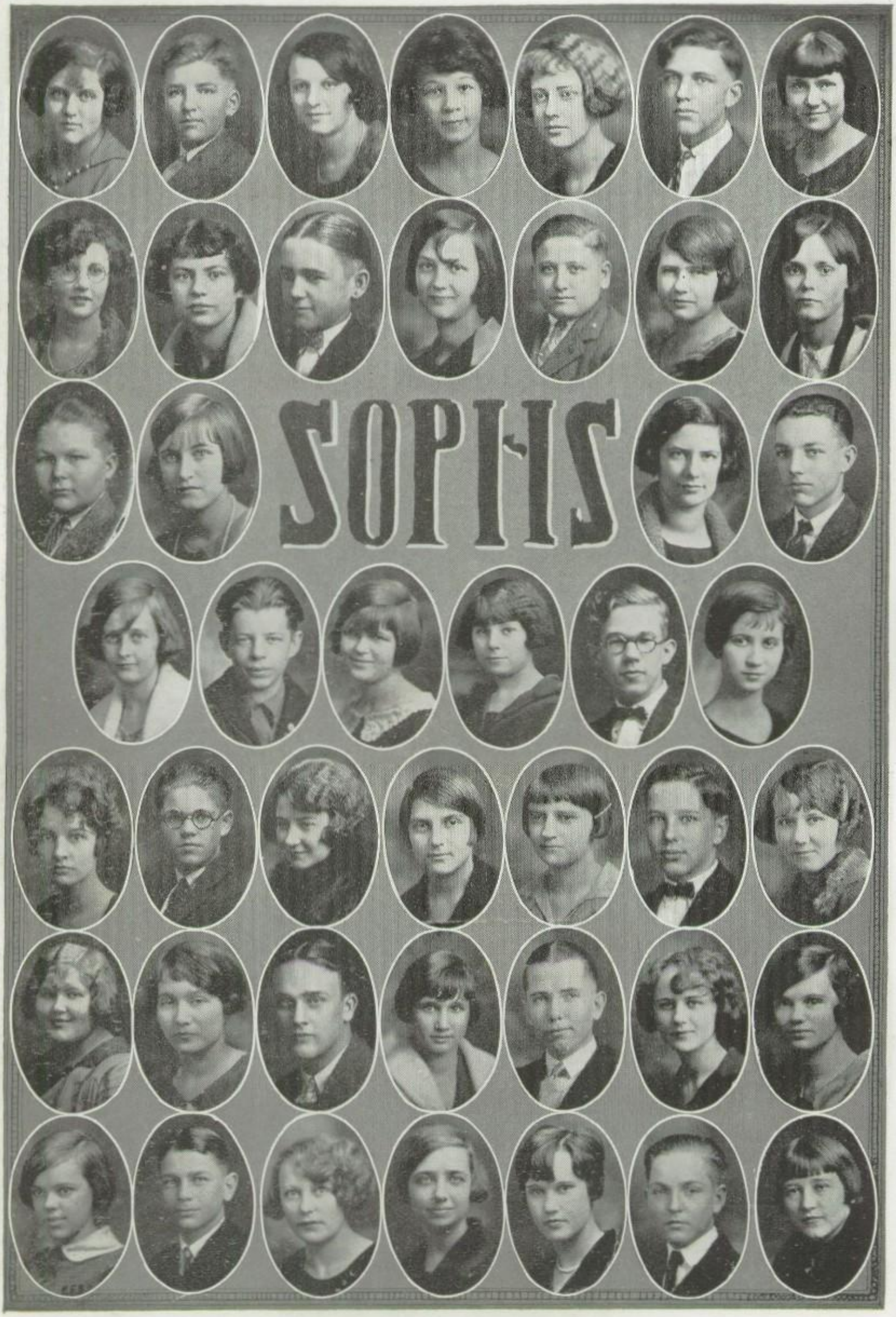
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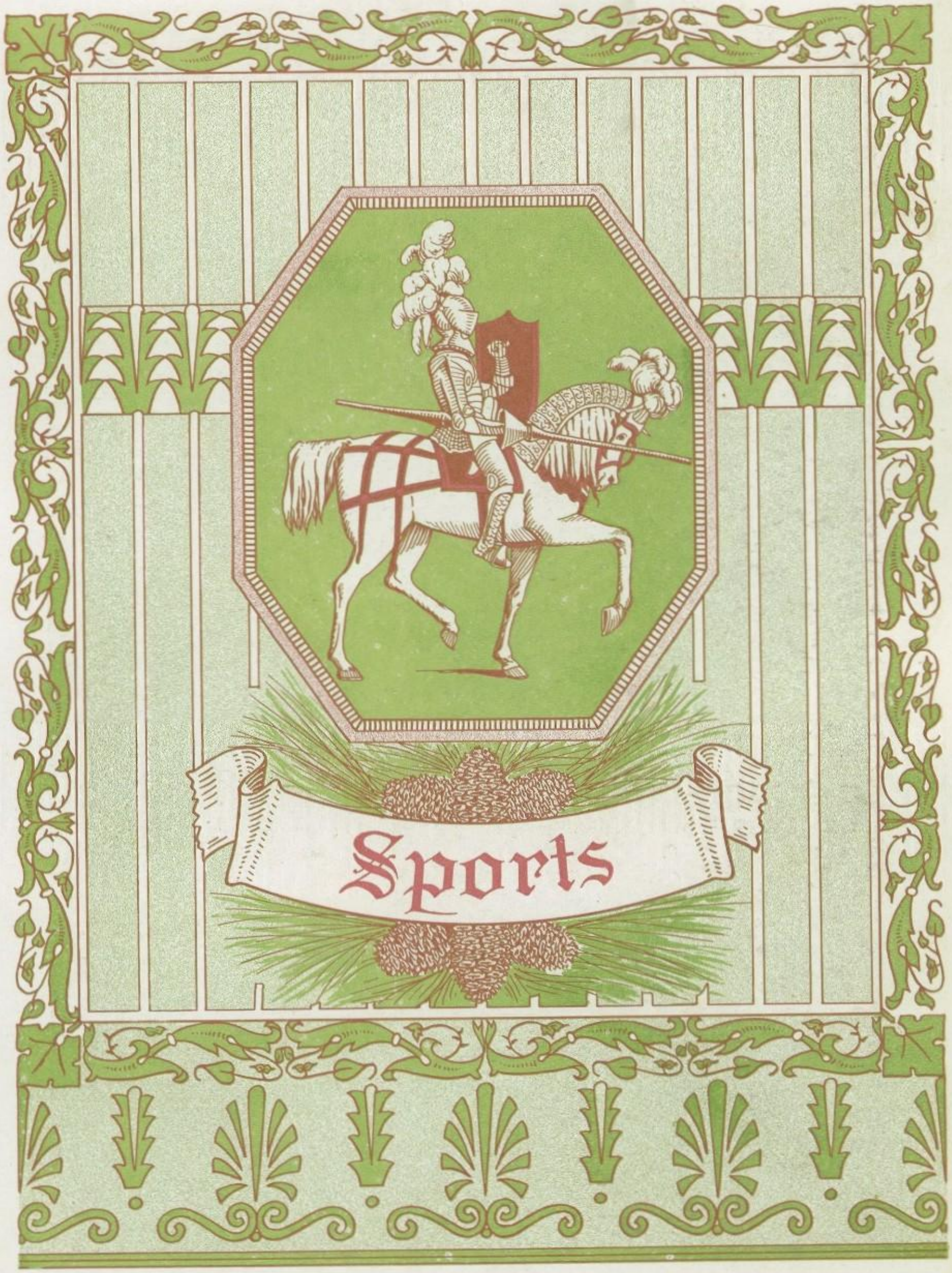
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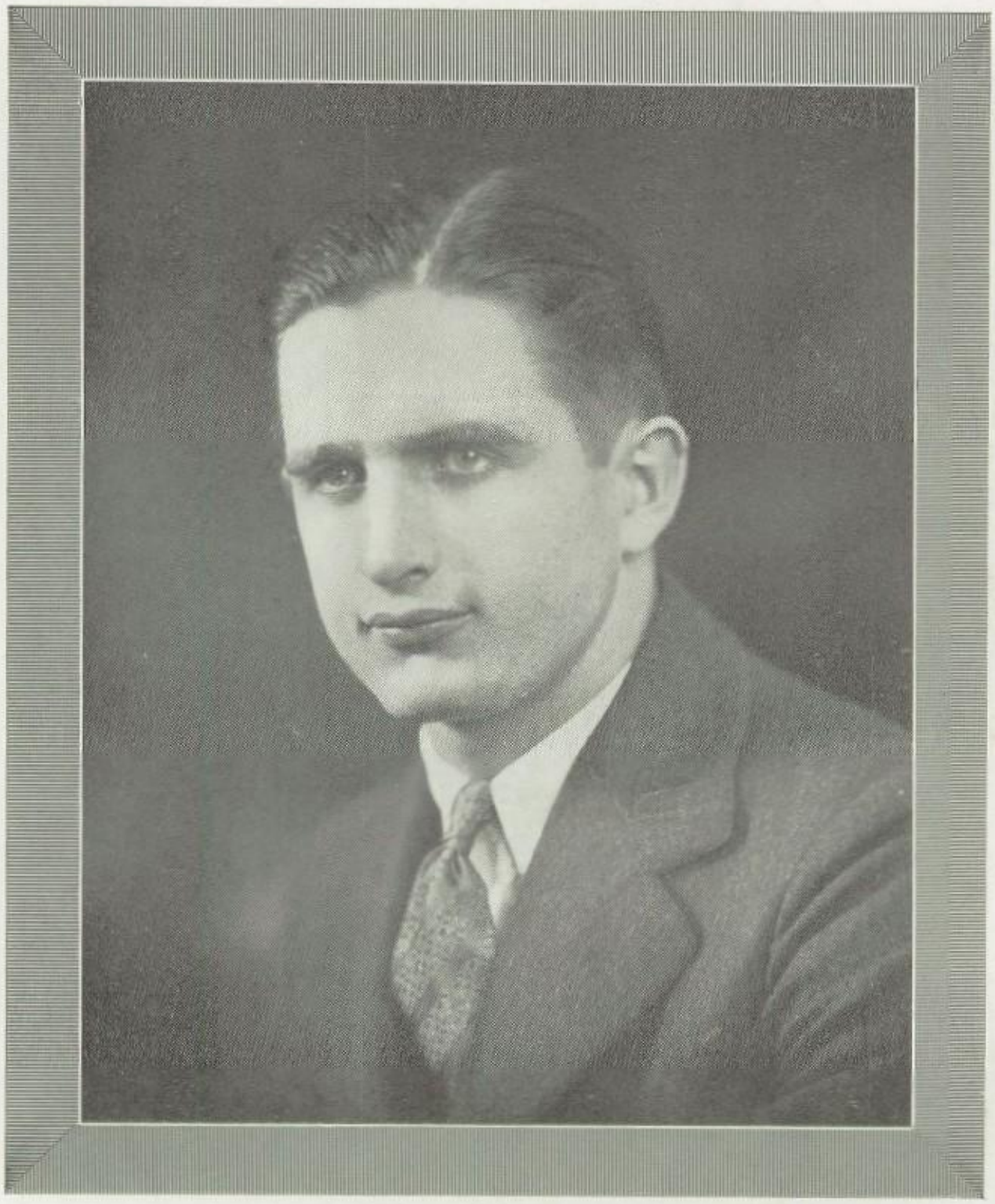
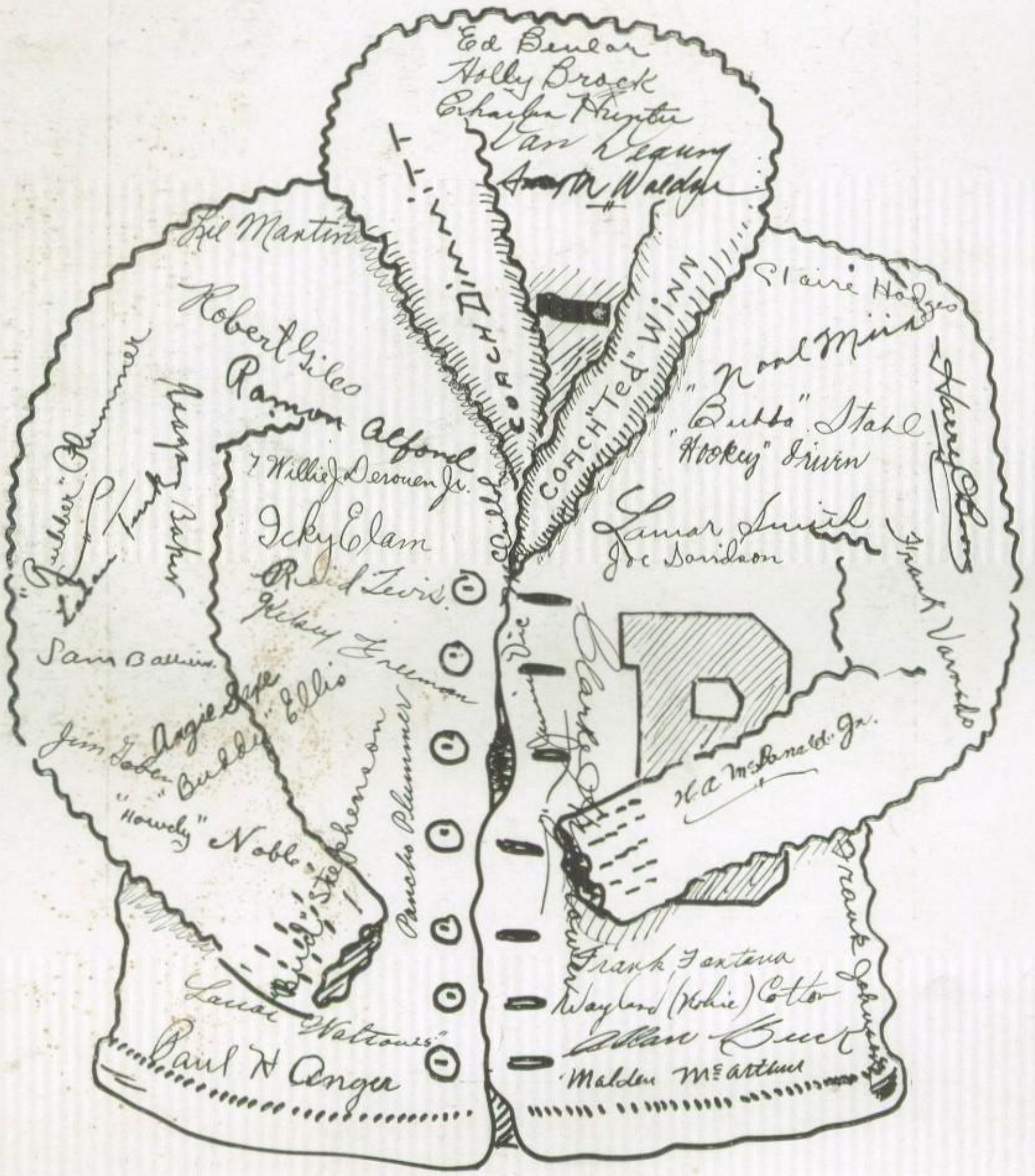


W. E. (Ted) WINN

To one who has sacrificed himself and his work to coach our Football Team; who, by being a clean athlete himself, has instilled in cur boys the spirit of true sportsmanship; to one whom we all love and admire—to "Ted" Winn, the athletic section of the "Pine Burr" of '25 is gratefully dedicated.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SUPT. M. E. MOORE

The Athletic Council has been one of the best reasons for the splendid record made by the Purple Teams this year. These loyal men have given their aid to everything pertaining to the High School sports. They have been interested in each player as well as the success of the Teams. We are very grateful to them, they are indispensable.

COACH LILBURN J. DIMMITT

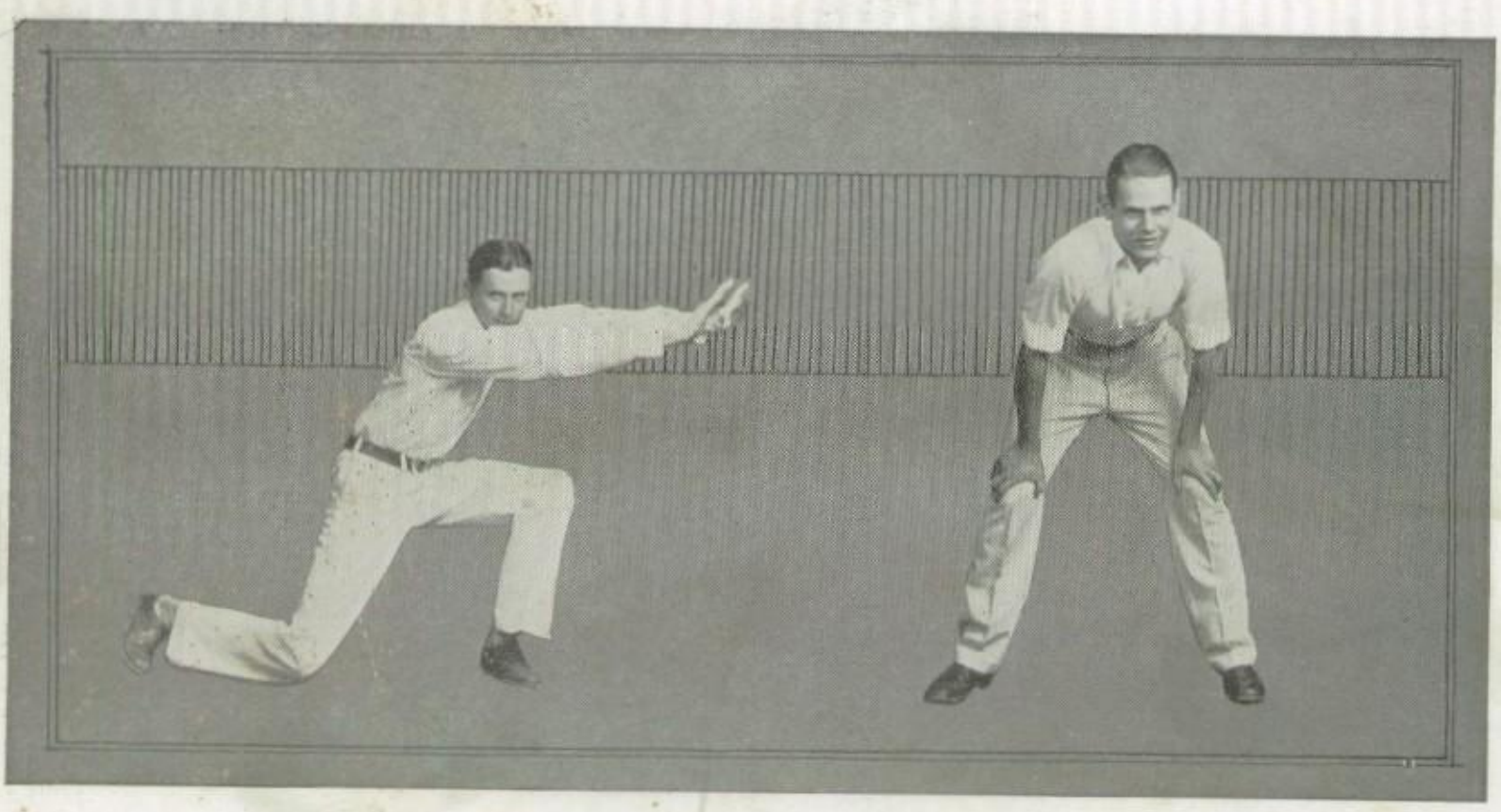
Throughout the past year we have enjoyed success in our several branches of athletics—and for the character of our Teams and for their merits, we are primarily and deeply indebted to our coach, Mr. L. J. Dimmitt. From the time he undertook the task of shaping the destiny of the Purple Teams, he has proved beyond all doubt that he is entirely capable of turning out clean, hard fighting, well coached machines that win their games. Mr. Dimmitt is a clean, conscientious man, who loves his boys and girls, for they are all his. His whole soul is in his work, he lives the troubles and triumphs of his men individually. He has promoted that loyal, undying thing in the hearts of the people of B. H. S.—the Purple Spirit—the spirit that can't be lost or beaten. Under his leadership, B. H. S. has reached the highest athletic plane that she has ever attained. We rejoice with you, Our Coach, in your success in '24 and '25, and wish with hearts that love you, even more success in '25 and '26.

COACH "TED" WINN

From the Red and White of the Texas Aggies to the Purple came a man who is loved by every Purple heart. "Ted" starred in football at A. & M. and his love for the game, and the men who play it, caused him to give many hours of his time to help "Bubba" turn out a winning machine for Beaumont. His tireless efforts went far in strengthening the Purple machine—the line being his specialty—and who shall say that his work was not well done? His was the line that couldn't be gained through, his was the line that couldn't be stopped. "Ted" is just a man among his men, not a teacher among children, but he holds the highest respect and commands unquestioned obedience of all his men. We hope he will ever realize the affection for him in the hearts of the boys who have toiled to please him.

COACH THISBA WORLEY

Miss Worley came here directly from Texas University where she won a blanket, and a "T" sweater with three stripes. Imbued with the knowledge of the game, and having the ability to impart that knowledge to others, has made her one of the most successful coaches of Girls' Basketball in the state. To the girls on the squad, she is not only their worthy coach, but their very best friend. Beaumont High has been lucky this year to have had such a good coach for her girls.



YELL LEADERS

"Yea Team! Fight!"

Not all the game is played on the gridiron, the basketball court or the baseball diamond—only a picked few are allowed there, but just as essential to the success of any athletic season is the rooting section in the grandstand.

Beaumont High was very fortunate this year in having her rooting section in the experienced hands of Smyth Walden and his able assistant, Graves Martin.

When the world looked darkest for our fighting Teams, you would hear our yell leaders calling for another yell, more noise, more pep to help our team win its victory. Much credit should go to these two who labored so hard to get the backing of the student body in supporting our brilliant Athletic Teams of 1925.

FOOT BALL

MISS LILLIAN MARTIN

"She brings such gay and shining things to pass."

Who was every football boy's sweetheart? Why, Lil, of course. To whom did the boys go when they needed help with their lessons or sympathy with their hurts? Lil, again.

Many a day when the other girls were having a good time, Lil spent her time out at the ball park, encouraging the boys in their toil. The Team always took first place in her heart, no matter what other things called her.

Her home was always open to her boys, whether they came for work or a good time. The football banquet would not have been nearly as successful if Lil had not worked so hard. Often she sewed until late at night, mending the boys' jerseys for them. Always interested in everything the Team did, always full of pep and the old Purple spirit, Lil was an ideal sponsor.

The Team dedicated the game they wanted to win most—the Port Arthur game—to their sponsor because of all she had done for them.

Lil was in the game from whistle to whistle, whether the Purple was winning or losing. She and her loyal maids made the trip to Waco with the boys, and did much to make that hard time easier.

Always true, unselfish, and sweet, we do not wonder that every boy who wore the Purple loved and honored her.

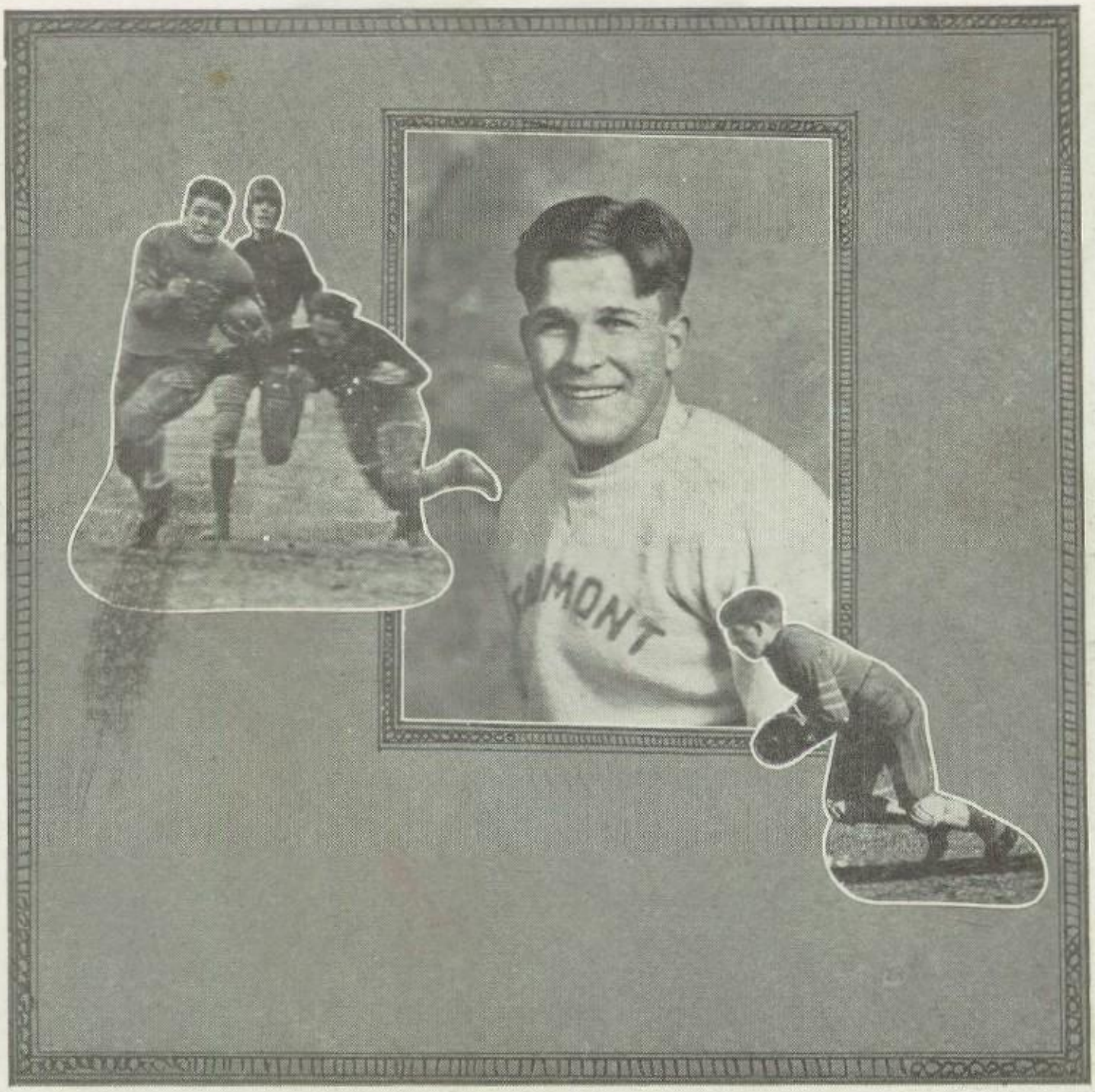
MISS LIL MARTIN
FOOTBALL SPONSOR

LETTER MEN

Top Row—Noble, (Manager); Miss McCulloh, Hightower, Anger, McArthur, Giles, Baker, Hunter, D. Plummer, Winn, (Line Coach); Dimmitt, (Head Coach).
Middle Row—Stephenson, Boone, Ellis, Johnson, Freeman, Gober, Miia.
Bottom Row—Elam, Brock, Balliew, (Captain-elect); Lil Martin, (Sponsor); Beular, (Captain); F. Plummer, Turk.

SPONSOR AND MAIDS

Top Row—Claire Hodges, Cyntheal Greer, Lil Martin, (Sponsor); Margaret Craddock, Jimmie Dean.
Middle Row—Louella Ward, Frances Hunter, Ruth Young, Betty Greer, Eleanor Wier.
Bottom Row—Mary Virginia Dimmitt, (Mascot).



CAPTAIN ED BEULAR

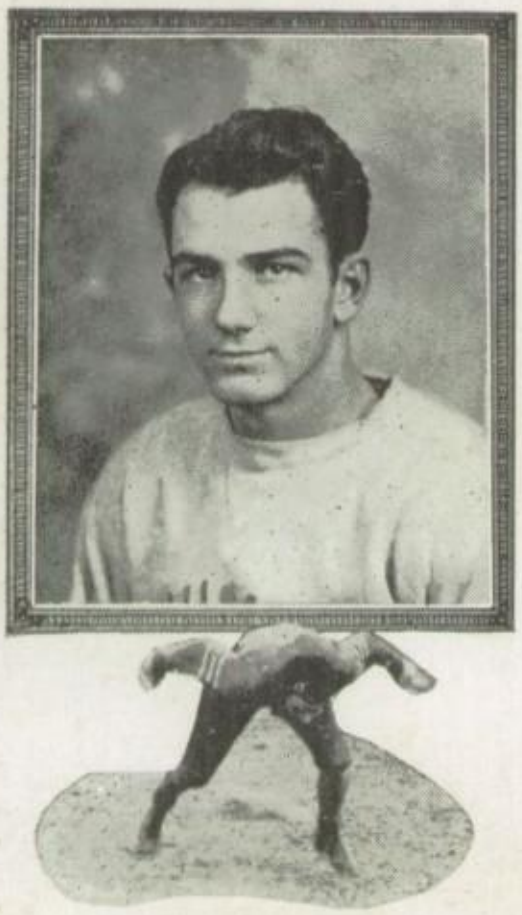
Quarterback, 160 lb.

"And when the One Great Scorer comes to write beside your name,
he writes not whether you won or lost, but how you
played the game."

To the nervy, capable, little Purple quarter and captain, should go much of the credit for the success of the team that he led to so many victories. Alert, moving, fighting, driving, never ending his ceaseless onslaught until the end, that was the spirit that gave him power to lead his Team to a victory when the dope and odds were against him.

Ed started the season with his side in bandages on account of a recent operation, but never did this seem to handicap him. Being full of football knowledge, fight, nerve and ability to stand the strain, he threw himself into his work in such a fashion that he won the admiration of all who saw him play. He had the "never give up" spirit and never did have to leave his team in the hands of another.

His last season was a fitting climax to his four years of service on the gridiron. He was accorded an all-State berth on the first string, and captaincy of his own. This smiling athlete, one of the most loved that B. H. S. has ever produced, will be missed next year by fans and teams alike. As he enters other folds to win other laurels, the friendly hearts that are left behind, breathe a prayer for the success of the Captain of the Purple of '24.



SAM BALLIEW

HALFBACK, 162 lbs.

Sam possesses all of the necessary qualifications desired of a good back. He is fast, powerful, a hard man to stop and a natural born leader. Though this year was his first on the B. H. S. squad, he proved his ability as a football player to such an extent that his team-mates unanimously elected him captain for the coming year. Great things are expected of him next year.

DICK PLUMMER

GUARD, 155 lbs.

"Rubber" was the lightest guard we saw this year, but those who played opposite him will not soon forget that hardhitting Purple warrior. His teammates will ever remember the several times during some of the games that their line captain called them together on their knees, and begged for a victory. His heart overflowed with fight, and he had a way of imparting the excess to his team mates. When their hearts were heavy and their bodies aching with fatigue, Dick always helped the Team regain that "do or die" spirit which carried him along so well on his "trick" knee.

REAGAN BAKER

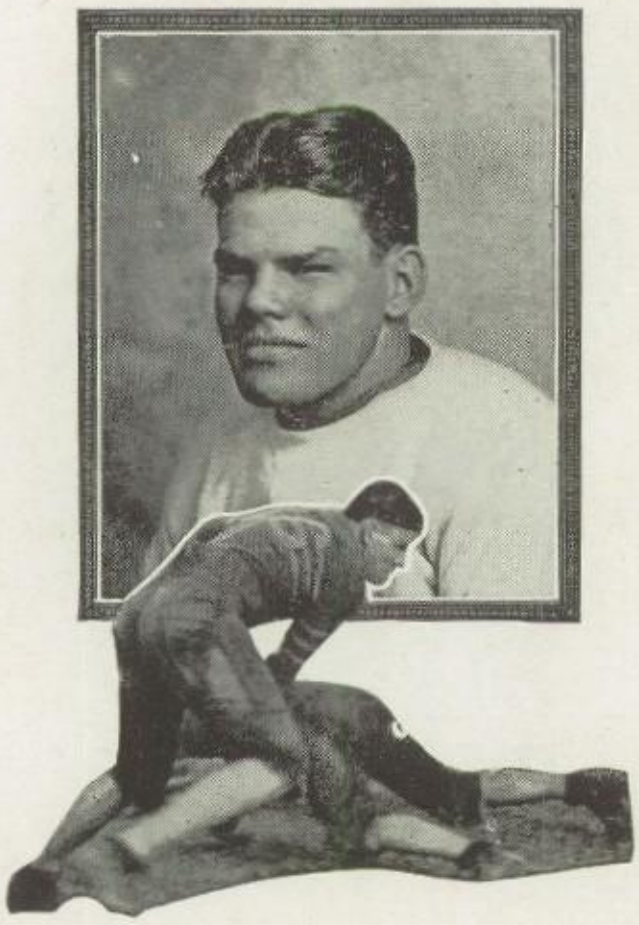
CENTER, 190 lbs.

Baker proved to be a steady consistent man for the pivot position. Always fighting as a fighter should, he managed to let the other Team know he was in the game to win. He displayed a type of fight and aggressiveness that won for him the admiration and respect of his team-mates and all that knew him. This Sophomore was one of the hardest fighters we had in the gang—who can tell what he may become in two more years!

CLARKE HIGHTOWER

HALFBACK, 165 lbs.

Previous to this year, Clarke has spent his leisure hours either hunting or fishing. This year, due to the influence of friends who recognized the natural ability of this sandy thatched boy, Clarke was persuaded to try his fortune upon the gridiron. "Huck" has been pronounced by many as one of the finest backfield men of recent years. Altho his inexperience proved to be a great handicap at first, as the year aged, he began to polish up and developed into an ideal triple threat man. Clarke is a fine plunger, an excellent broken field runner, can pass, punt, and is an exceptionally good defensive player. He will be back next year and, as a football player, should stand out distinctly.



ROBERT GILES

TACKLE, 185 lbs.

"Big Boy" was recognized this year as one of the best tackles in the state. His huge bulk and great strength proved to be an impenetrable barrier to all opponents. With another year of experience, Giles should be a tower of strength in the line and one of the greatest assets to the team of '25. We expect his name to be one on the '25 all-state list.

FRANK JOHNSON

TACKLE, 160 lbs.

Frank who hails from Sabine Pass, played his first football this year. We recognize in him the qualities it takes to make real football players—a football heart, a desire to win, and a love for fight. Johnson never gave way before his enemies, he simply tore his way into any place he desired to be. He is a hard fighter, and we are lucky to have him again next year.

WALTER ELLIS

FULLBACK, 165 lbs.

"Buddy" always managed to tear through a line—he smashed and drove—never let up—a real plunging full back, but he never has, until yet, learned to take care of his gold football and his "B" sweater. They got away from him early and we will have to call them "fumbles", anyway, he hasn't recovered them. "Buddy" is built to play football and he takes advantage of it—he could always be depended upon for gains when they were needed. He will be back next year, and we expect even more from him then.

LABAN TURK

END, 145 lbs.

Although "Turk" is small, size didn't seem to handicap him at all, and he gave a good account of himself every time he went into the battle. But it was in the game at Waco that he put up the hardest fight of his life. It was his second game at end, but he was never circled nor run over—he was never out of the play and he dealt misery to the Waco opponent—his fight finally caused him to be carried from the field, but Turk had never quit.

HARRY BOONE

HALFBACK, 155 lbs.

Our fastest man and one of our hardest fighters—that's Harry Boone. The 1924 season found this Purple warrior handicapped by a broken arch, but a spirit that couldn't be broken over-came that defect. In the never to be forgotten Houston Central game, it was he who started the fire works that blew up the Tigers hopes, by snatching an almost impossible pass. We are happy to say that Boone will be with us next year.

HOLLY BROCK

END, 145 lbs.

This was Holly's first attempt at football, but from the very beginning he was a first string man, proving himself a heady, consistent player at the position of end. He played in every game of the season, and started in every game even though handicapped several times with a badly bruised side. He was on the receiving end of several substantial gains via the aerial route, although none of them happened to be near enough to the goal line to add any scoring points to his credit. Holly leaves us this year, but we shall ever remember him as a clean, hardfighting "wing" man.

CHARLES HUNTER

END, 145 lbs.

"Dilly" played his first year of football with us this year, although he has been in B. H. S. as long as Gibson's been black. This big, tall boy held down his "wing" from the start like it belonged to him. He seemed at home under all conditions and never got rattled nor worried, but always managed to be where the fight was thickest. A good end, a good fighter, and a good tackle—that's "Dilly." We need your kind again, boy, for we expect to win the state championship of '25.

HAROLD ELAM

HALFBACK, 158 lbs.

The football season was not only a successful season for the team, but also for certain individuals who have triumphed because of their hard work, and unbroken fighting spirit. An example is "Ickie". After playing three years with the reserves, he stepped forward this year and claimed his own. He will be back next year, and with that same determination and grit, he will undoubtedly be one of the main stays on the Purple eleven.

NOAL MIIA

HALFBACK, 163 lbs.

"Meow" was a "spinner", in other words when he went through the line, everything that grabbed him flew off. He was hard to stop—and had a hip movement, too,—no, not the kind grass skirts cover, but the football kind; and that, combined with his persistence and stubborn fight will make him a valuable man for somebody's team. May we find more like you, "Meow", you've got the stuff!

PAUL ANGER

TACKLE, 172 lbs.

Paul came over from Mississippi to offer his service. He made good at tackle, because he never ceased his relentless onslaught upon his enemy. Easy going, friendly, even lazy, he may be anywhere except on the gridiron, but there he was forever dealing misery to his tormentors. He foiled many a carefully executed play and opened many holes for his "halves". In his one short year in B. H. S. he has learned to love the Purple and the old Purple fight has completely taken possesion of him.

FRANK PLUMMER

QUARTERBACK, 140 lbs.

Not old in years, but aged in football—that's "Pancho". He knows the game, all its finer points, and he is general enough to use his knowledge. "Pancho" piloted his machine through the entire Shreveport game, and he did it well—this same fight was with him in other games, too. He will be back next year, and the scrappy, heady, shifty, little general is going to put up a terrible fight for his position. Grow some, "Pancho", add weight, you have the rest already!

KELSAY FREEMAN

GUARD, 158 lbs.

Kelsey was really too light to play in as heavy a line as ours, but his nerve and undeniable spirit urged him on in spite of his size. He was a fighter from the minute he entered a game, and he seemed never to get the losers' end of the fight. Always ready, attempting the impossible—he proved to all that he is made of the stuff that produces real men.

JIM GOBER

END, 150 lbs.

Jim played his first year at end for Beaumont High. We all admired him for his pluck and his "never die" spirit. He was one of the hard luck fellows of the Team of '24. At the first of the season, he sustained a broken nose, and later on he was injured in two or three automobile wrecks. Although he didn't start the games, he played some time in all the most important ones, playing like a veteran. Should he return next year, we predict for him an even better record.

MALDEN McARTHUR

GUARD, 184 lbs.

This tall, rangy boy had never seen a football before he came to B. H. S., but with the patient perseverance of Coaches Dimmitt and Winn, McArthur developed to such an extent that he was chosen on the All Southern High School Eleven. Mac has never met his equal on the gridiron. He will be back next year, and, as he is becoming more familiar with the pigskin, he should be one of the outstanding linemen in the state.

FRANKLIN NOBLE
MANAGER

"Howdy" made himself immensely popular with both the football squad and the student body by his untiring efforts on behalf of the Team. With the utmost confidence in the Purple, he was always ready to do all in his power to help them. In being everything from Doctor to Jitney Driver, "Howdy" nearly worked himself to death, so numerous were his calls. The victorious football Team of '24 owes much to its faithful manager, "Nobles."

RALPH STEPHENSON
END, 160 lbs.

Gentle reader, gaze upon our "old man". Bud won't be able to play for B. H. S. next year because he will be too old—hard luck, old fellow. He played his second year as a Purple warrior and played it well—he was a hard fighter and was cool enough to use his head. He played football because he loved the game and for no other reason, and it's safe to say that a heavy heart will carry him to see the Purple play in '25. Stay with us, "Buddy".

MARY VIRGINIA DIMMITT
MASCOT

One of the most interesting as well as interested spectators at all our games was "Mascot Mary Virginia", six year old daughter of Coach and Mrs. Dimmitt. Clad in a Purple uniform, she attracted much attention during intermissions and "time outs" by her "stateliness" in leading the march for the "B" formation, and by her timely comments on everything in general. Her loyalty to the whole Team was proved when instead of calling her pet squirrel after one of her supposed favorites, she named it "Ever Loyal to the Purple."

THE SECOND TEAM

Behind every chesty varsity that trots upon the gridiron, comes the tireless group that gives the practice necessary to make this varsity capable of carrying the name of its school honorably through the battle. Oft times little or no credit is accorded those boys who give their all, even knowing full well that no berth on the first string is for them. Fans who see a football game, see only the finished machine —they usually overlook the most interested spectators—the blanket wrapped side liners.

To the second string of '24, the varsity they made wants to say that it takes more nerve to finish the season a scrub than a star. Come back next year, boys, and make that varsity that was denied you this year. If you want to do a thing bad enough, you can..that's football!

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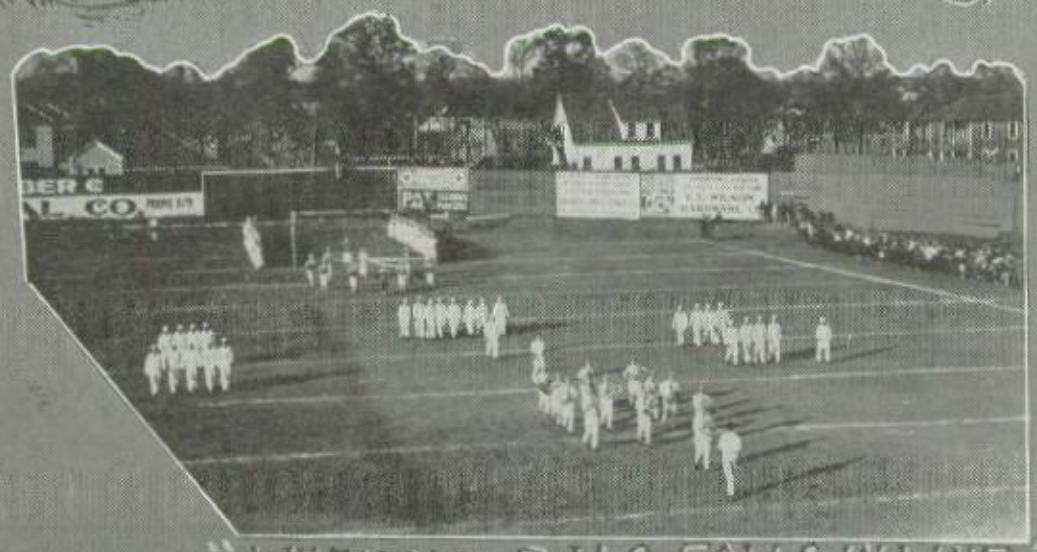
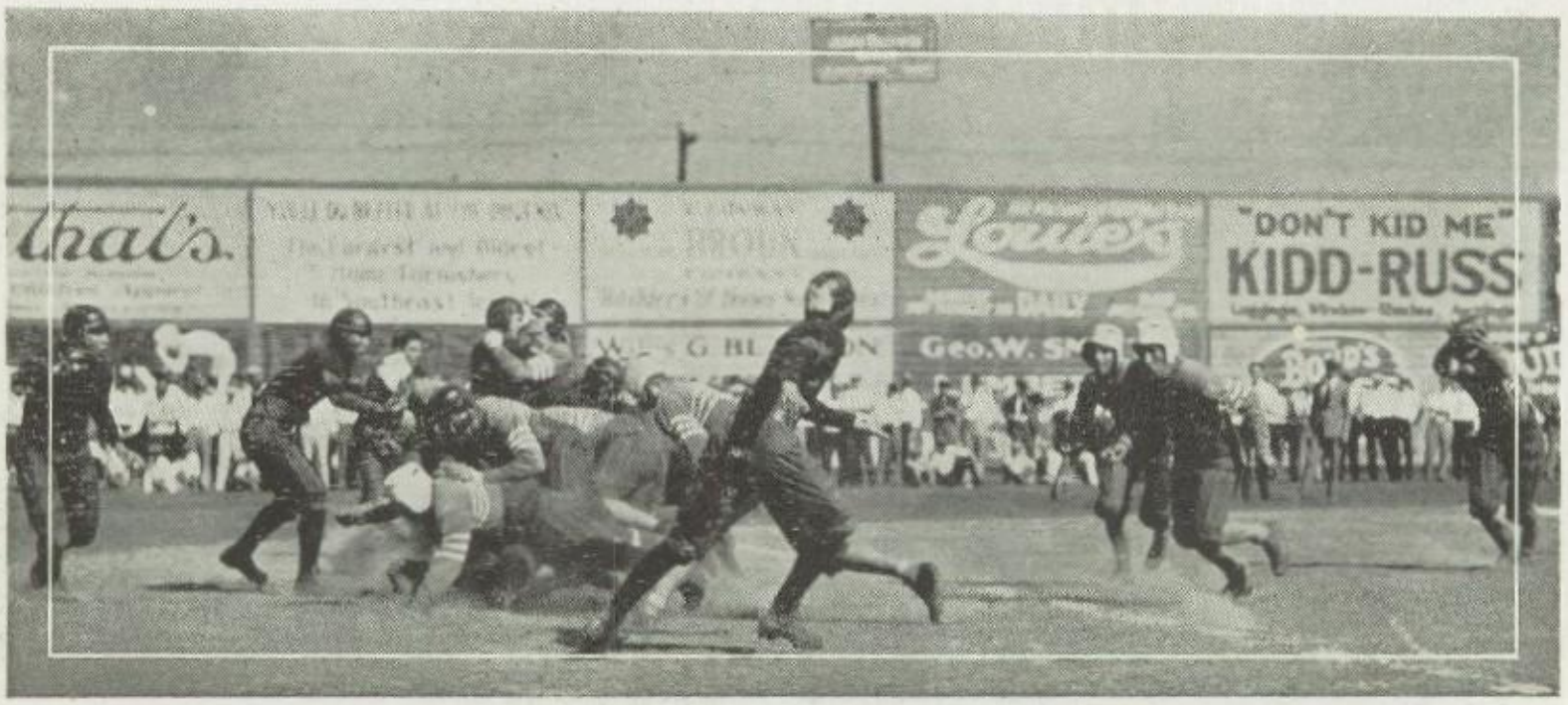


"WHEN OLD B.H.S FALLS IN LINE"

BEAUMONT 15, SHREVEPORT 3

Mysteries surrounding the training camp were somewhat opened for public inspection when Coach Dimmitt turned loose a bunch of husky gridders upon the highly touted Shreveport aggregation. Coach Dimmitt's first year men won a lot of applause, not to mention a goodly part of the game which finished up 15-3. The Royal Purple played straight football throughout, but there was enough of the sensational to satisfy the most exacting fan. Clark Hightower's 95 yard sprint to a touchdown, although lost when a mate fouled an opposing player near the goal, was the finest bit of footwork of the afternoon, unless it was a performance by the same young man, later, when he fell back to boot a perfect field goal from the 42 yard line for the first score of the game. Holly Brock, another first year man, covered himself with honor when he took advantage of Shreveport's loafing when a kick off behind the goal went uncovered. Brock dashed down to cover the ball for a touchdown, much to the amazement of the visitors. "Huck" added the final score when he plunged through the line for a touchdown, in the third period. The day was too hot for football, and both coaches used numerous substitutions throughout.

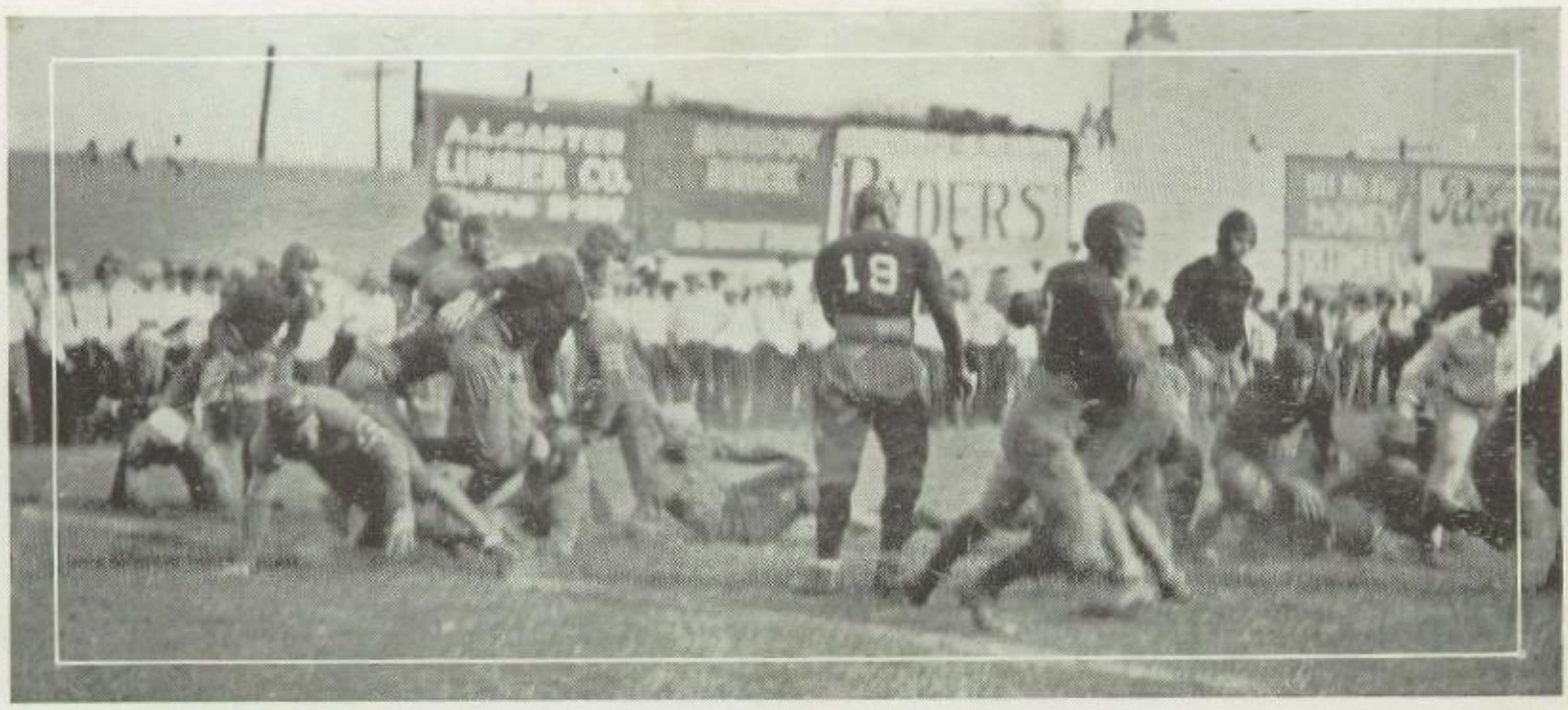


FOOTBALL SEASON OF 1924

More interest was shown in football during the past season than ever before in the history of B. H. S. Two reasons may be given for this—a winning team and games at home. The coaches showed their ability by making a strong team out of green material—15 first year men lettered this year. The Purple machine proved itself to be one of the best defensive as well as offensive teams in the state. B. H. S. claimed the state title of Louisiana by winning over three of their strongest teams. The Purple team of '24 fought its way to the tri-district championship, entering the semi-finals of the state race. We are looking forward to next year when, with more experienced men, we hope to be the proud possessors of the State title.

The Score:

Beaumont....	15—	Shreveport	3
Beaumont....	15—	Lake Charles.....	0
Beaumont....	19—	Warren Easton ..	7
Beaumont....	19—	Ball High.....	0
Beaumont....	52—	South Park	0
Beaumont....	13—	Port Arthur.....	6
Beaumont....	13—	Houston Central..	7
Beaumont....	12—	Robstown	0
Beaumont....	16—	Marshall	6
Beaumont....	0—	Waco	10
Totals—	—		—
Beaumont...	174—	Opponents	39

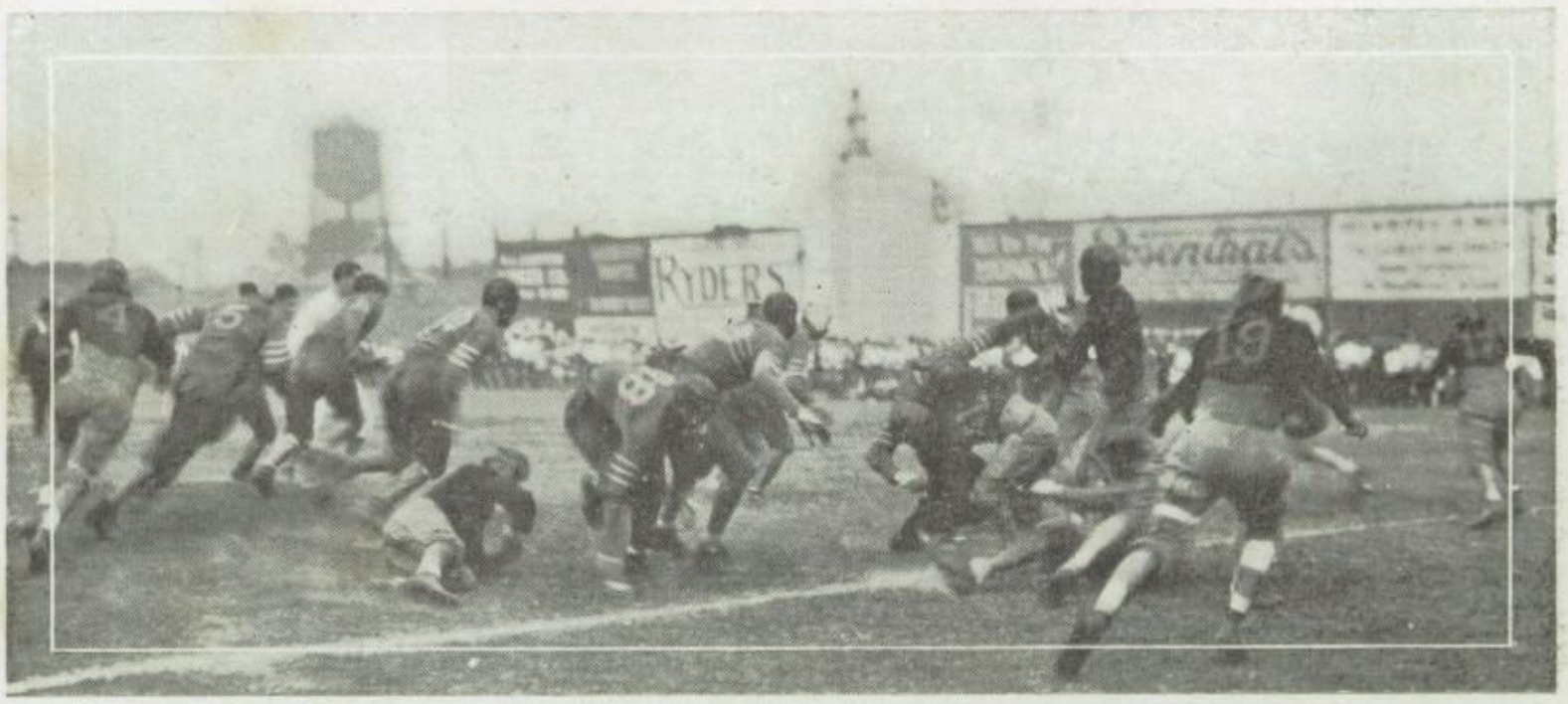


BEAUMONT 13, LAKE CHARLES 0

The score does not indicate the margin by which the opposition was outplayed, so cleverly did the Purple forwards stop the attack of the lighter invasion. Reeves, giant fullback and captain Fisher, quarter, two of the best high school backs of Louisiana, were stopped by a Purple line that held well except in a few instances. In less than nine minutes of play, Augie Saxe plunged across the goal line behind a pair of linemen. He was untouched in one of the outstanding plays of the game. Sam Balliew made his first start of the year and ran the Team for three quarters as signal director. The rangy back revealed an ability to advance the ball and to diagnose the opposing attack. Since Coach Dimmitt elected to rely upon a plunging game, it was left largely to Balliew, Ellis, Hightower, Saxe, Miia, and Elam to pound through the Wildcat line. This they did effectively. It was in this game that the line was reorganized to stand until the close of the season. Baker was shifted to his all-state position at center after trying further toward the end, at tackle. Beaumont made thirteen first down against three for the opponents.

BEAUMONT 19, WARREN EASTON 7

The football championship of Louisiana was locked up in the Purple strong box after the final stand from the Sugar Cane State. Warren Easton, of New Orleans, yielded up the last hope of the neighboring state when the Purple staged a desperate second-half rally to walk away 19-7. Straight ahead football was all that was required by captain Beular, in the game for his first time. The smiling general and pride of all Beaumont drove his backs forward at a killing pace, but without result until the final half. The line shared heavily in the victory, for the crashing forwards completely gutted the opposing line of all its strength. After the third period had started, there was hardly a scrimmage from which some visitors failed to rise. Charging low and heavily, Coach Winn's men completely whipped the New Orleans team until there was not an available substitute at the close. But the victory was costly. Augie Saxe, brilliant back who donned the Purple this year, hardly got warmed up before he went out in the first period with a smashed hand. Elam, Hightower, and Balliew accounted for the touchdowns. Giles played his best game in a Purple jersey, and McArthur tore great holes in the line, which feat later gained all-southern recognition for him.

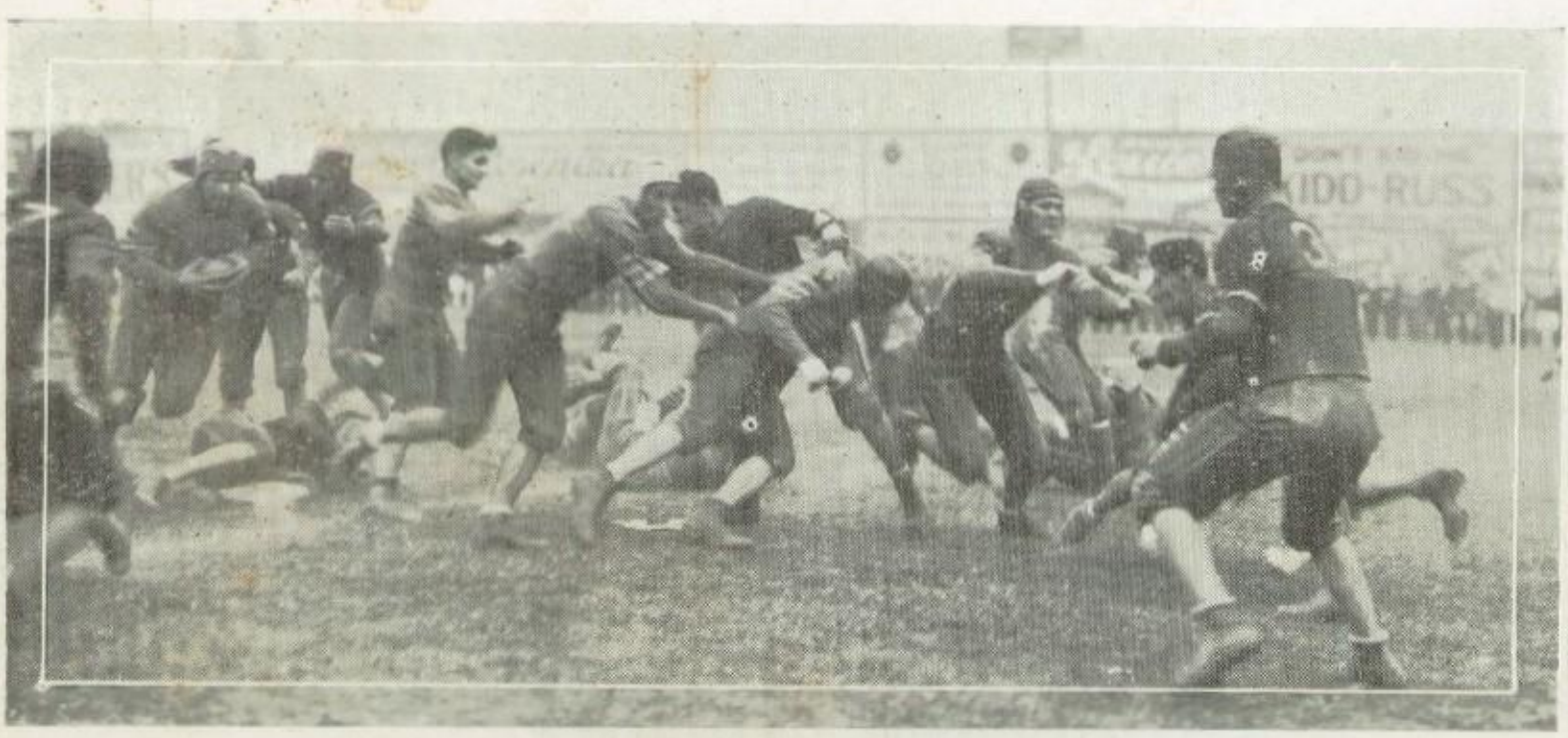


BEAUMONT 19, GALVESTON 0

Ball High's plucky but light Team, coached by the former Purple Mentor, Marvin Kennedy, was no match for the fast moving Beaumonters. The Island City Team was beaten to pulp by the terrific drive of the victors who negotiated most everything tried. "Buddy" Ellis rose to a new height in the Ball High fight and his play, both on the offense and defense, was his best yet. He batted or caught passes almost as he pleased. He charged the line viciously and tackled deadly. After a scoreless first half, Captain Beular settled back for an endurance test and began hammering at the line. It had to be whipped completely, too, before victory was forthcoming. Twice the Purple carried the ball to the five yard line on first down and failed to score. But suddenly the tide changed. McArthur blocked a kick and Brock beat Baker in a race for the ball behind the goal for a score. The heavier Beaumont Team crushed the opposition, finally, and no less than half a dozen of the visitors were carried from the fray, resultant from the punch directed upon their quarter by the Purple linemen. Boone got into the game late and uncorked a lot of fine football. The Purple passing game was in fine order, and almost 100-yards was the total gain from that attack. Beaumont made eleven first downs to three for the Golden Tornado.

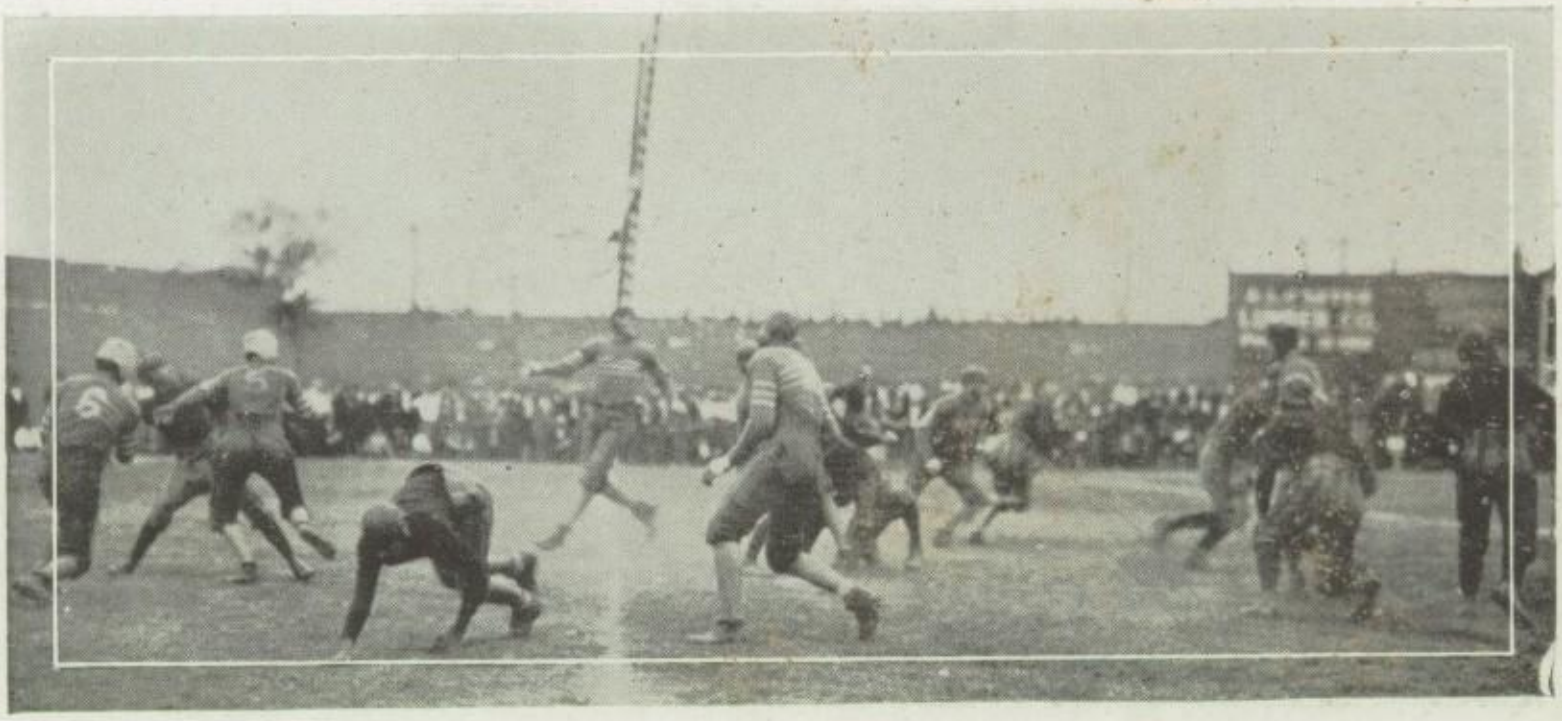
BEAUMONT 52, SOUTH PARK 0

The Purples rode rough-shod over the light but plucky South Park High squad at Magnolia Park, crashing through to a lopsided victory, 52 to 0. The B. H. S. Team took no chances with the game, piling up a formidable lead, before ever considering slackening the pace that proved too fast for the Green and White crew. With the whole Port Arthur team in the stands, scouting the game, Coach Dimmitt was forced to keep his men confined to bucking the line, with nothing more than a simple shift, and they did it successfully. Two touchdowns in the first quarter, three in the second, two in the third, and one in the fourth —that tells the story of the game. Early in the first half, the first-string men were pulled out of the game, saving their strength for the coming Yellow-jacket fray, and a flock of "rookies" took their places in the line. Sam Balliew, Harry Boone, and "Ickey" Elam each accounted for two touchdowns, while Blanchette, Bando, and Ellis scored one each. "Huck" Hightower, full-back of the Purples, was forced to sit on the sidelines, nursing a game ankle, thoughout the game.



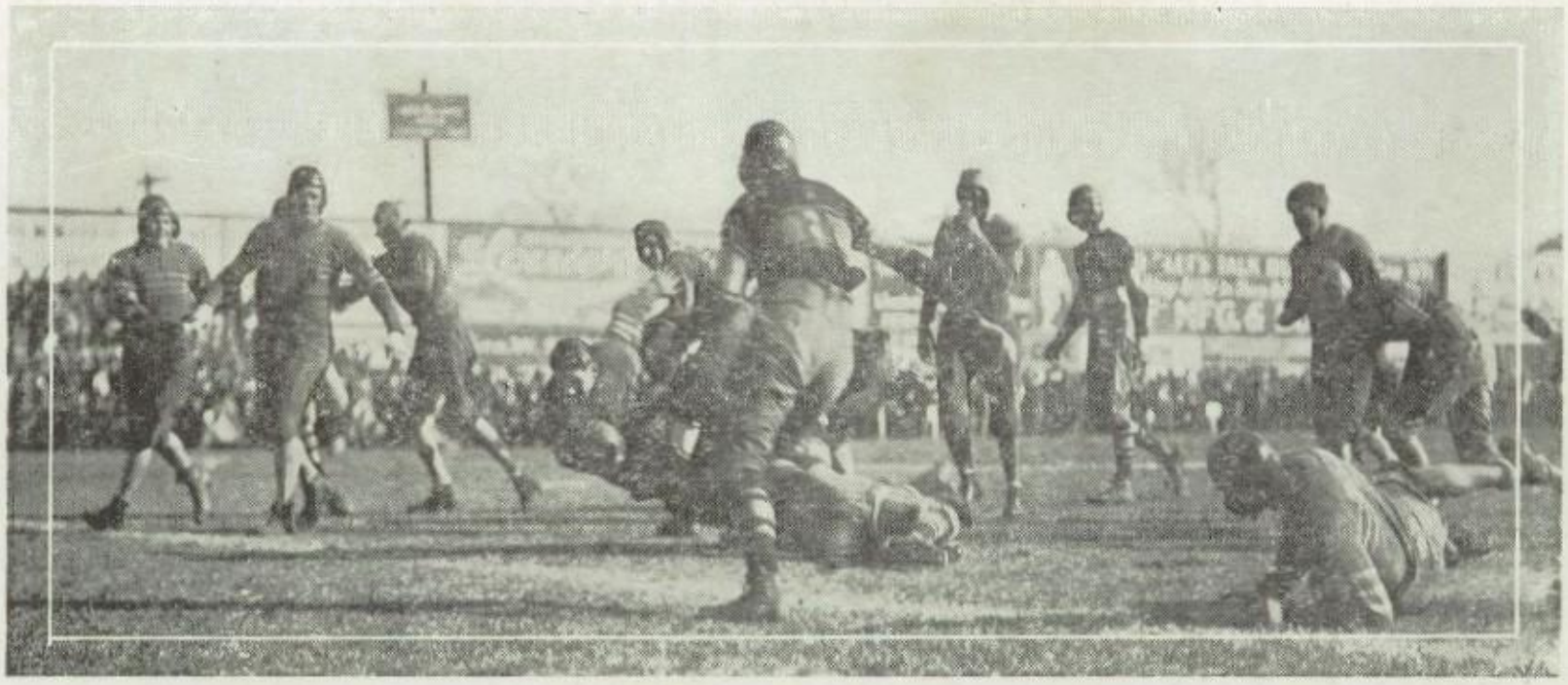
BEAUMONT 13, PORT ARTHUR 6

The annual Port Arthur game, played before 8000 enthusiastic fans was in a class all alone. After Coach Dimmitt realized the folly of his first half aerial game and switched to a driving attack, the lighter Yellow Jacket line was pierced for two touchdowns to win 13-6. Coach Smith's club had been carefully coached to combat the overhead play, and one of Beular's heaves fell into the eager hands of Tommy Morgan, who sprinted his way to a score, the first of the game. With the Port Arthur contingent roaring defiance across the field, the Purple supporters rallied with the Team, and the two well organized cheering bodies divided honors for the afternoon. "Huck" Hightower contributed one of the finest plays of the game when he made a one-handed catch and a 40 yard spring goalward. The play of Johnson, at tackle, was also an outstanding feature of the game, and there was a steady stream of substitutions against his point after the game got well under way. Captain Beular played a whale of a game in the back field, but he was forced to share offensive honors with half a dozen others. Hightower, Balliew, Ellis, and Elam all contributed fine plays before the close. Brock played a fine game at end, while Stephenson and Hunter divided time at the other flank. The Purple made 15 first downs while Port Arthur made but four.



BEAUMONT 13, HOUSTON CENTRAL 7

Staging one of the most sensational rallies ever witnessed in Beaumont, the Purples drove their way into the District championship by defeating the formidable Houston Central Tigers, before an enormous crowd at Magnolia Park. It was the high-light of the season, when the Beaumont club, with a few minutes to go, forward passed themselves to a Garrison finish, crossing the goal twice in the last quarter, to overcome a fluky but effective lead that the Tigers had garnered in the first period. In the first two minutes of play, a fumble and a series of line bucks and end runs netted the invaders a touchdown that was followed by a perfect boot, for seven points. These seven points stood out as a water lily in the Sahara desert until the last few minutes of play. Then came the aerial attack, with Ed Beular's arm taking the limelight. Seventeen passes were tried, during the game, fifteen of them in the last quarter, and nine were completed. Sam Balliew shared the offensive honors with Beular, making one goal with a delayed buck, and another with a scoop of a pass, behind the goal line. Baker, McArthur and Giles were the stars for the Purple line.

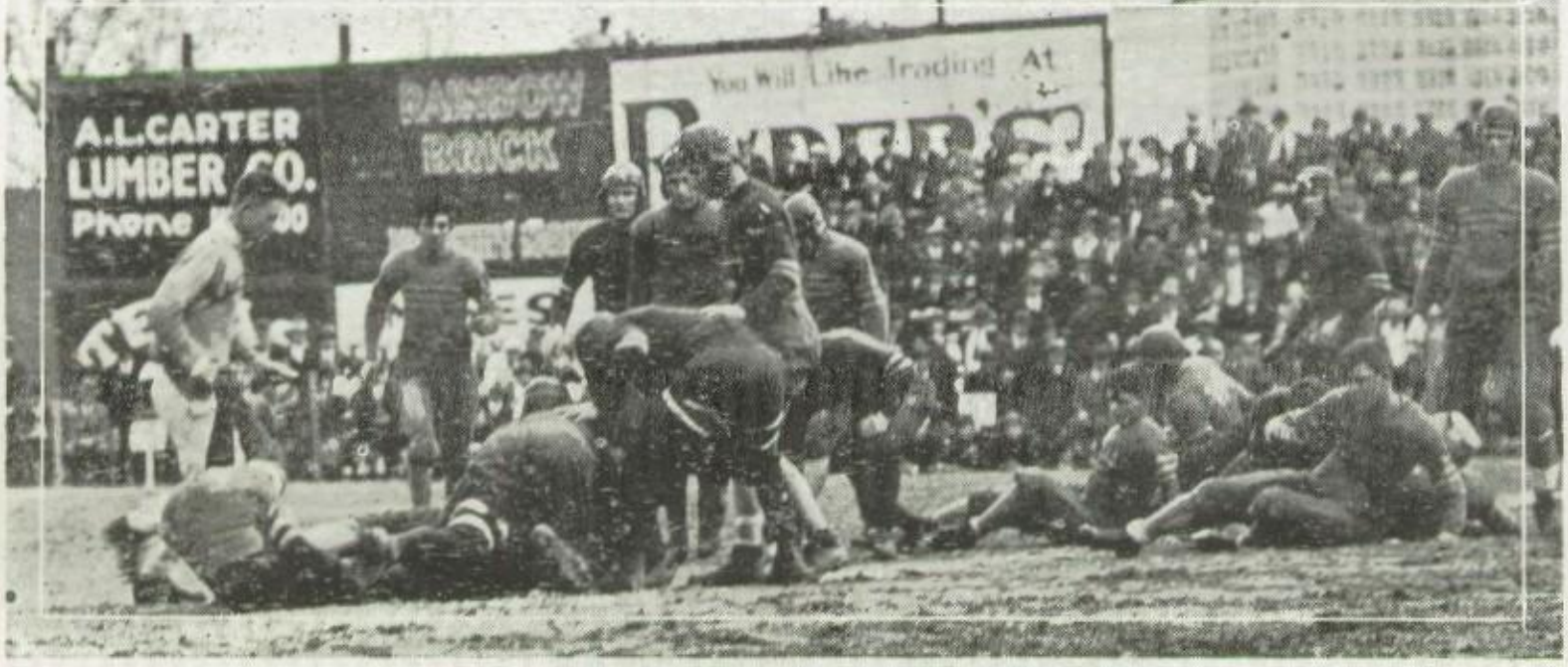


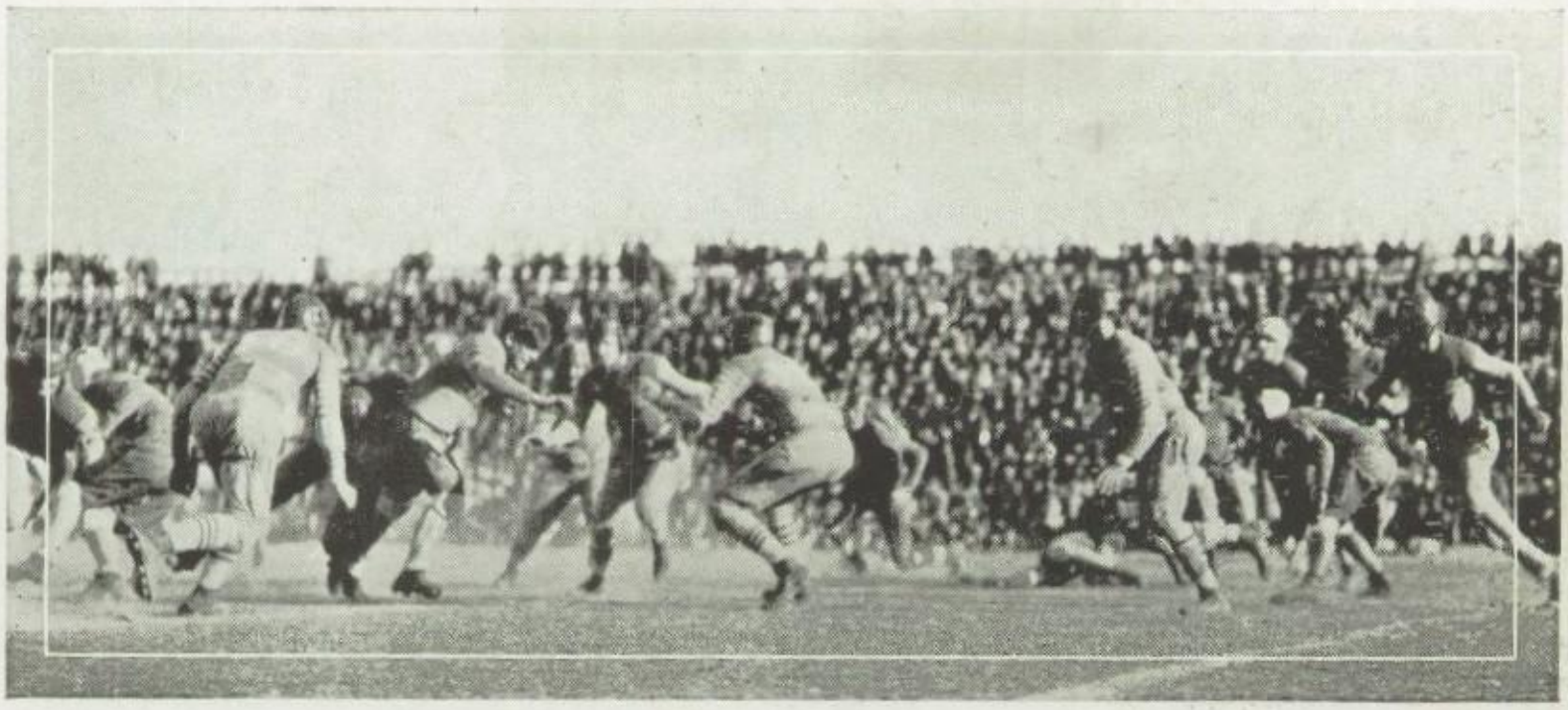
BEAUMONT 12, ROBSTOWN 0

High School added another victory to their ever-increasing string, when the Purple Eleven trampled a big but inexperienced team from Robstown, and copped the bi-district title. Straight line bucks, hammering persistently, with the Purple line opening holes big enough to drive a box car through—these things tell the story of the game. "Huck" Hightower and "Buddy" Ellis each scored a touchdown. Coach Dimmitt's boys, fresh from their victory over Houston Central, took few chances, didn't try to pile up a mountainous score, and won through sheer ability. Nineteen first downs were made through the Robstown line, with both Hightower and Ellis starring. The game taught the Team one thing, however, and that was how to break up an aerial attack. In the closing minutes of play, the Cotton Pickers threw a scare into the Purples by pulling their opponents' secondary defense in, and then chunking the pigskin over it. It was a stubbornly fought game, however, and decidedly close in the last half. One touchdown in the first quarter and another in the second proved to be all the scoring done.

BEAUMONT 16, MARSHALL 6

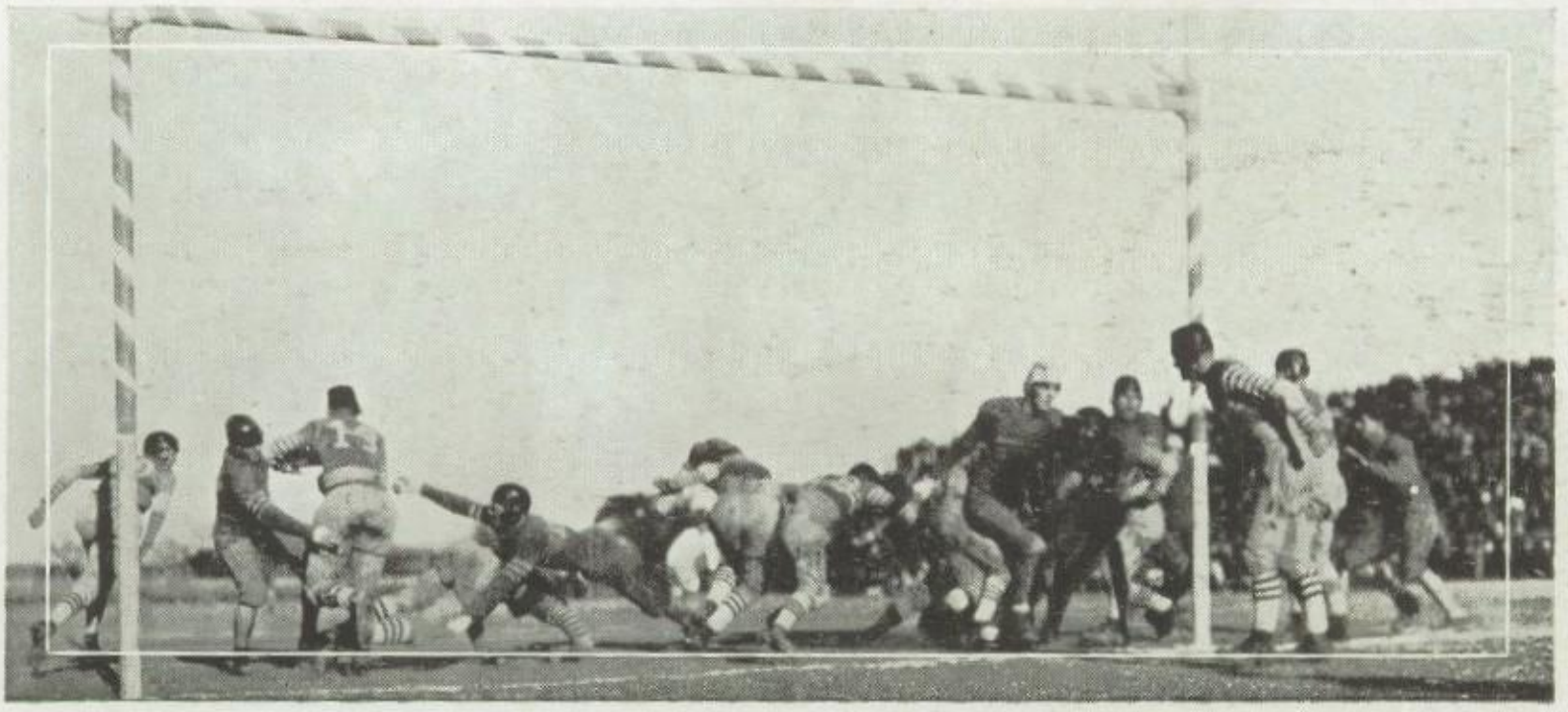
Speed and driving power—these two qualities tell the tale of the Purples' victory over Marshall, a win which placed them in the semi-finals of the state championship race. There was certainly no fluky element present in this game. It was a better team, a better drilled squad, a crew of fighters that raced and plunged their way through the light Marshall Mavericks. The Marshall lads opened up with a drive that did not end, until they had garnered a six point lead, which they held throughout the first period. However, the pace was too swift for them, and the Purple line snapped out of its temporary bewilderment, and returned to its brick-wall defense that had functioned so well all year. Dick Plummer, Huck Hightower, and Sam Balliew stood out in the game. In the second quarter, Hightower grabed a short pass from the hands of Beular, and raced 40 yards to a touchdown, then kicking goal for a lead that was never threatened. Balliew's educated toe was decidedly right during the game as he averaged over 40 yards per punt, making two 55-yard spirals sail through the air. Plummer stacked play after play from his position as guard, not allowing the Mavericks to get started on his side of the line. These three played as they never had before, fighting and charging their way, leading their mates to a victory that was cheered by thousands on the sidelines.

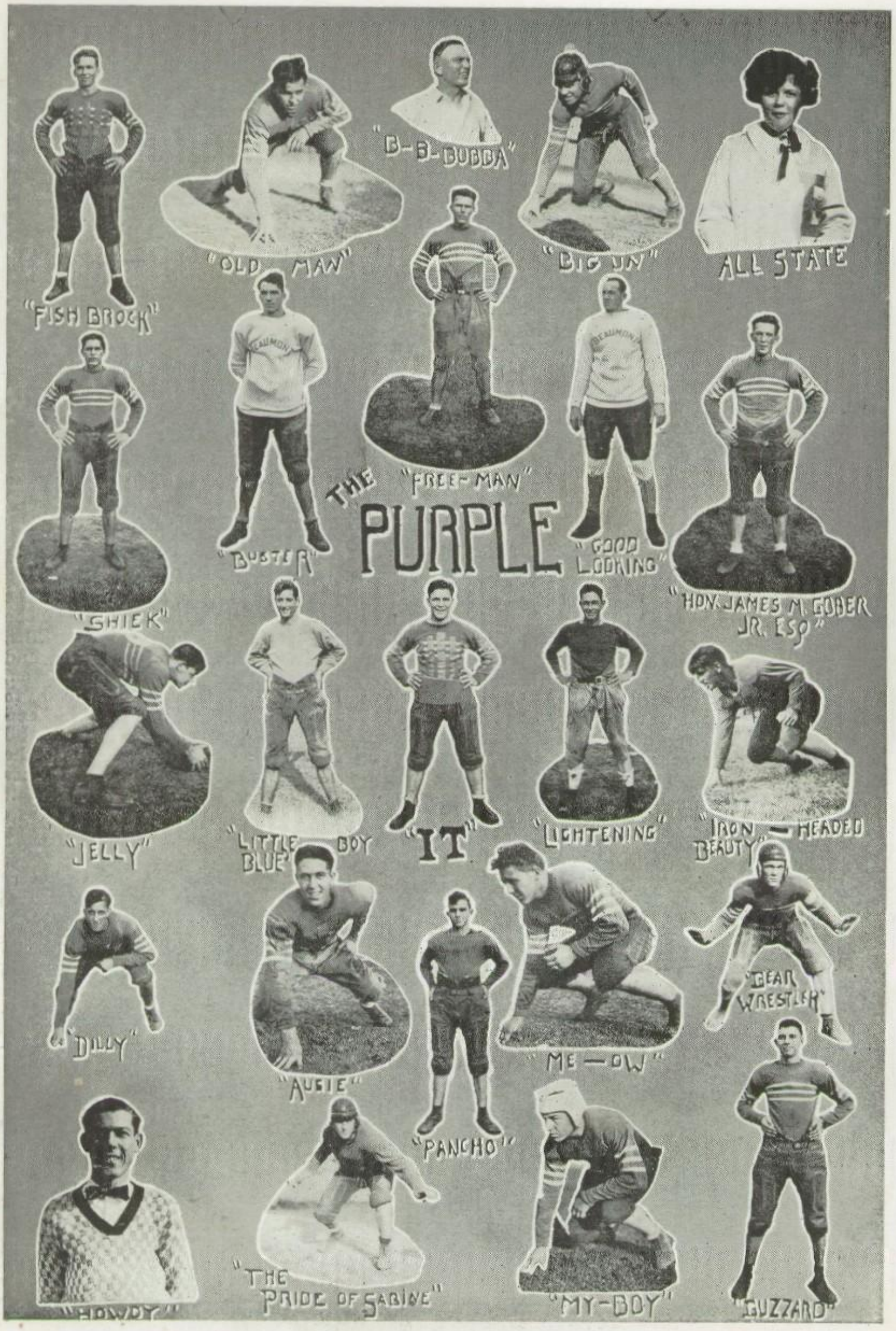




BEAUMONT 0, WACO 10

With all the breaks of the game going against them, and with the injury jinx camped firmly on their trail, the Purples closed their 1924 football season with a heart-breaking loss to Waco High, 10 to 0. For the third time in four years did the Waco Tigers oust the Purples from championship hopes, but this time they didn't do it with a better team. The offensive power of the squad was sapped from the very first, by injuries. Buddy Ellis, Sam Balliew, and Huck Hightower, three of the charging backfields, sustained hurts, and with the drive missing, the Purples fell by the wayside with 350 Beaumonters looking on, in the Cotton Palace field in Waco. A fumble and the Purples lost their best chance to score. Ed Beular, playing the best offensive game of his career, and McArthur, Brock, and Giles on the defense, stood out in the defeat. These four played stellar games indeed, and left Waco with the cheers of the enemy fans ringing in their ears. The squad left the field, not bemoaning their loss, the only one of the season, but with set, determined faces that assured revenge in 1925.

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"LIGHTENING"
"IRON HEADED BEAUTY"
"DILLY"
"AUSIE"
"ME—OW"
"BEAR WRESTLER"
"HOWDY"
"THE PRIDE OF SABINE"
"PANCHO"
"MY-BOY"
"BUZZARD"

BASKET BALL

MISS CLAIRE HODGES

"Not only a favorite on the Basketball court, but among her friends."

Claire was the most fortunate of girls this year —she had the honor of being sponsor to the best basketball team in the state of Texas.

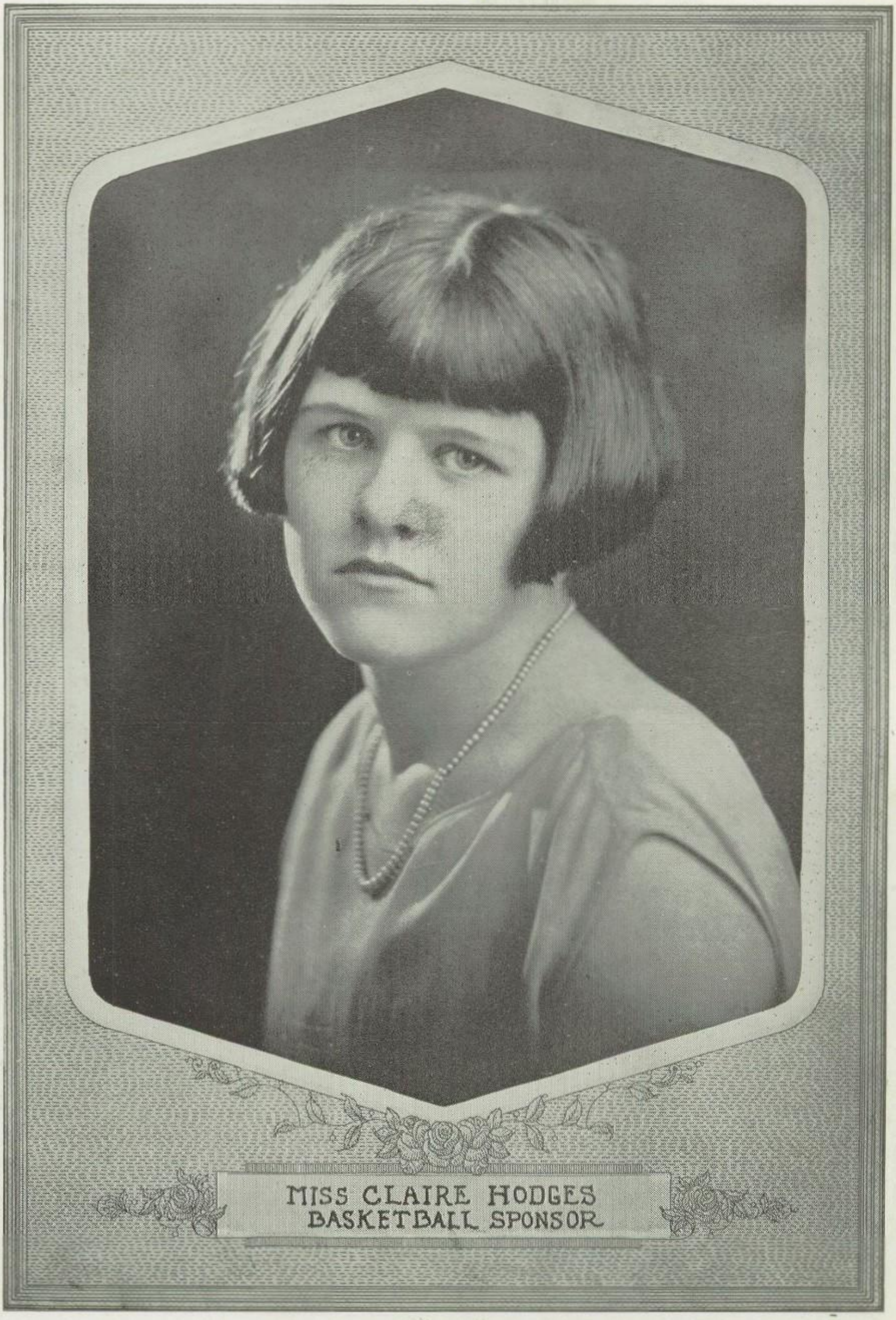
Every boy on the Team will tell you, too, that their sponsor's unfailing spirit and loyalty brought them out on top when things seemed darkest. Every evening during basketball season, Claire appeared at the gym, with a box of gum, to keep the boys pepped up.

She was always in such a hurry to get to the games to see her boys that once she was arrested for speeding and was late after all. Even that did not stop her for she was more lively than ever.

If one of the boys did not come to practice, Claire made it her business to find out the reason. If he were sick, she was so sweet and attentive, that he really enjoyed his illness. When the season ended, she and her maids entertained royally for the Team.

The Team would have had a hard time in Austin if their sponsor had not been there. When everyone thought the Purple was losing, Claire and her maids never stopped fighting one minute, so the boys came out on top every time.

Because they all loved her, the Team placed her first in the hearts of the State champions of '25!



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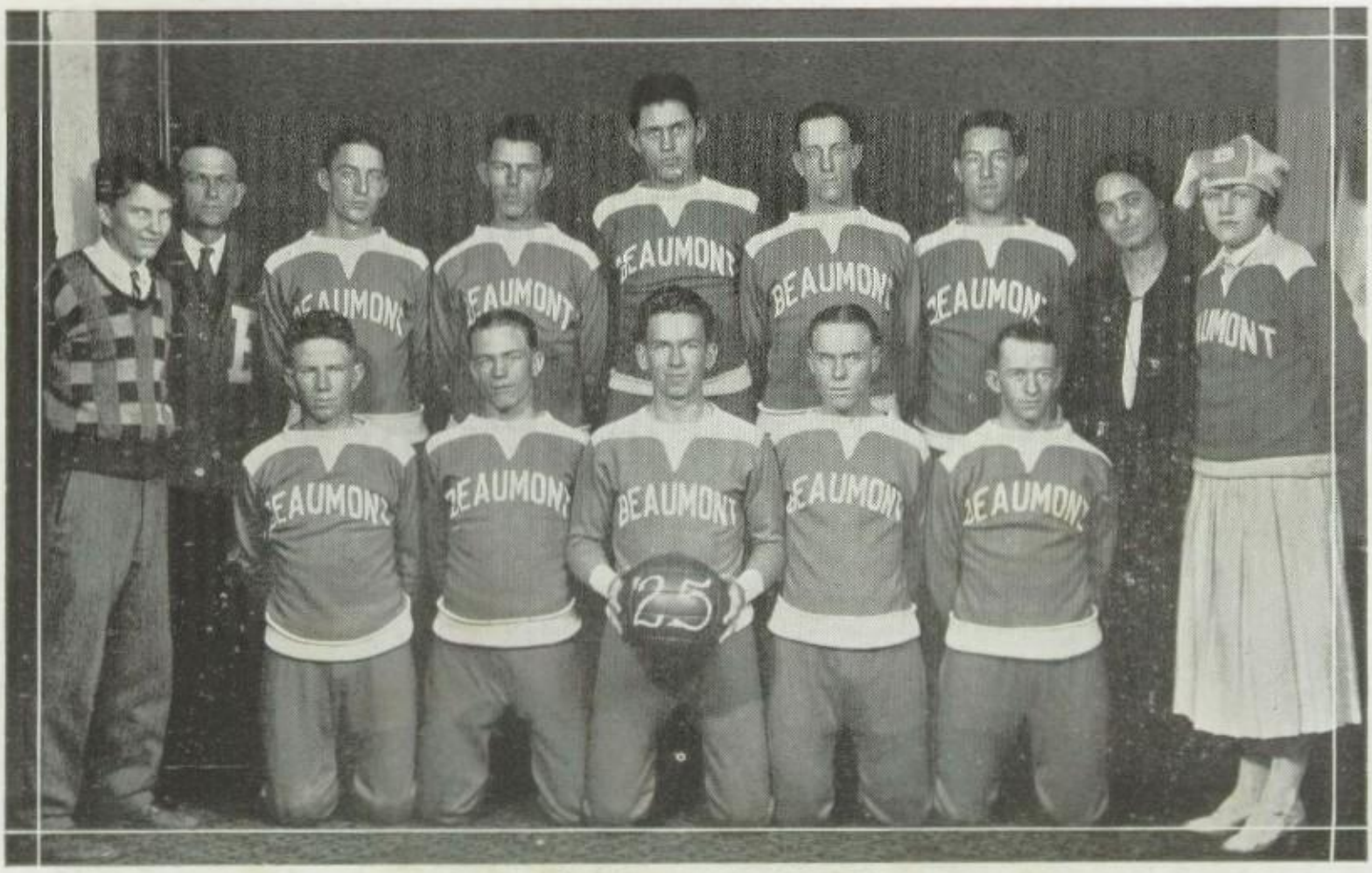
BASKETBALL SPONSOR



BASKETBALL TEAM

Top Row—Buck, (Manager); Dimmitt, (Coach); Stahl, Freeman, Anger, Hunter, Saxe, Miss McCulloh, Claire Hodges, (Sponsor).
Bottom Row—Irwin, Alford, Captain Brock, Cotton, Dearing.

SPONSOR AND MAIDS

Doris Tatum, Gladys Dewer, Claire Hodges, (Sponsor); Lil Martin, and Wier Aldridge.

CAPTAIN HOLLY BROCK

FORWARD, 145 lbs.

"Foremost Captain of his time."

To the Captain of the Basket-ball Champions of the Lone Star State, belongs the honor of being the first All-State forward Beaumont Hi has ever produced. This glory came to us four years after Holly Brock entered High School, and three years after he began to startle enthusiasts with his brilliant game of Basket-ball. His playing was never of the mediocre variety—he was one of our best men even from the beginning of his career —however his third and last year with the Purple was his greatest. In more than one game of the season, it was through his own efforts that victory was gained, but it could never be said of him that he was an individual player. He passed up many an easy shot to let some team-mate score, but after doing that he was high point man of the best team in Texas.

Holly is a born leader. Throughout the whole season he has held his men together in such fashion that his Team was not only five men each striving to do his best for himself, but five men each giving his all to make a perfect unit—a powerful phalanx of attack and a stone wall defense. He set the example before them—he was always what he expected them to be. Although spotted by opponents early in the season, Holly's best game was every game, and his dribbling, passing, goal shooting and all around floor work made him the unanimous choice of the All-State Committee in the climax of his High School career, the State Tournament. Always full of fight, cool headed, dependable, a true sportsman with a word of encouragement and a smile of appreciation for his Teammates —it is no wonder that the play built around this Son of the Purple, surpassed any that state cagers could offer.

Admired as a player, honored as a leader and loved as a friend—we reluctantly relinquish our hold upon our Holly Brock, Captain of the Purple Basketeers, Texas Champions of 1925.

AUGUST SAXE

GUARD, 147 lbs.

We owe much to South Park for giving us one of our best basket-ball players—our brilliant guard, "Augie" Saxe. After his hand had fully recovered from a break received during the football season, he became one of our most accurate goal-shooters. In the Tournament at Austin, he received honorable mention for his splendid work. Playing solely for the love of the game and the Purple, "Augie" did much to help bring the State Title to Beaumont.

CHARLES HUNTER

GUARD, 145 lbs.

For two years, "Boisterous" had played as a "Utility Man" on the Basketball Team, not being able to find his true position. But this year, being needed as a guard, "Dilly" stayed at this position and became so strong as a defensive man that he was considered by many to be one of the best guards of the South. Not only was he strong on the defense but his dribbling, passing and knowledge of the game made him one of our strongest offensive men. The cool headed, consistent playing of this Purple fighter never failed to put confidence into his team-mates, and his graceful movements on the court always won the admiration of the feminine spectators.

RODERICK IRWIN

FORWARD, 145 lbs.

This handsomest man on the squad (if not in B. H. S.), has an eye for long shots that has frequently been responsible for victories of the Purple. In previous years, stage fright seemed to hinder his brilliant playing, but no trace of this characteristic was observed this year. "Hookey's" work was always sensational. Many times he saved B. H. S. from possible defeat by his flashy, spectacular goal shooting. He will be back next year and because his Teammates desired to give him the greatest honor in their power to bestow, they elected him to be their Captain for 1926.

ALVIN STAHL

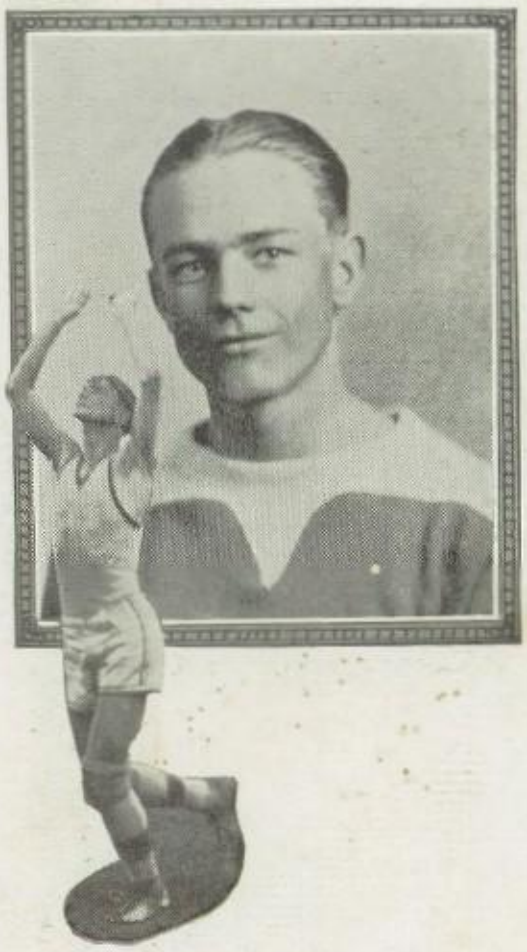
CENTER, 140 lbs.

"Who is that fighting Center?" was a question asked many times at games both at home and abroad. At the first of the season, no one expected much from this inexperienced candidate for the Team, but as soon as he was given a chance to play in a game, he attracted the attention of the close followers of Basket-ball, and as the season progressed, he became one of our outstanding players. In Austin his consistent fighting and brilliant floor-work won for him a place on the Second All State Team, but we have never seen the center that we would exchange for our "Bubba".

PAUL ANGER

CENTER, 160 lbs.

Throughout the entire season, Paul was a steady, consistent player, who could always be depended upon to do his best. He was easy going and non-excitcable, but he always managed to have fight enough to match any apponent put against him. "Sheik" did his best playing in Austin and Chicago where we needed it most. We are sorry to lose such a capable athlete by graduation.



RAYMOND ALFORD

FORWARD, 135 lbs.

To the "Baby" of our Team, is due much of the credit for our being State Champs. His accurate goal shooting and his ability in hustling the ball, made this flashy little forward one of the main assets of the Purple Team. "Shelley's" playing at Austin was the climax of his brilliant first year's work, and one of Austin's Sport writers remarked that Alford would have probably made one of the two All State Mythical Teams had he played regularly. With two more years in B. H. S. we expect great things of you, Raymond.

DAN DEARING

GUARD, 135 lbs.

"Dreamer Dapper Daniel Dearing" has a hard luck story as long as his name. In the very first game of the season, he sustained a torn ligament in his right knee, and was not able to return to the game for many weeks. Once during this time he became so impatient that he tried to resume his position, but his knee could not stand the strain. It was not until the District and State Tournaments, that he was able to play. This crippled fighter, who might have been one of the foremost cagers of the south, returned to the game, and, even though he was greatly handicapped, he proved that he could "hold his own" among the best in the state.

ALLAN BUCK

MANAGER

The Purple Basketeers, those champions of Texas, would love to meet a manager who could surpass, or even equal, their faithful "Low Woods"—they all know "there ain't no such animal". Buck is termed by all "the Managerial find of the year". With his ever-ready wit he was always the life of the Team and not once did he fail to do his duty. His task of being Manager was not considered by him a duty—it was his high privilege. He was so impressed by his responsibility to his team that he kept training with them on all the trips. In addition to his title of "All American Manager", he holds the world's record for stealing hearts of waitresses and dancing teachers while playing the role of a "Millionare Cowboy" in "Chi".

BASKETBALL SEASON OF 1925

Although handicapped by lack of a place to practice, the basketball team of Beaumont High broke all previous records by becoming champions of the State of Texas.

At the first of the season only four out of twenty-five who reported were letter men; but these formed the nucleus around which was built the fast, fighting quintet which copped the district title for the third successive year. Heretofore, Houston Central had been able to stop the Purple at this stage, but this year we proved to be more than a match for them in the most thrilling game of the year. At the State Tournament in Austin, no one picked us for winners because we were the smallest team on the floor, but with the "Purple Fight" and the well-drilled plays we overcame this obstacle, and won the title "First in Texas." Then it was "On to Chi", where we met the best teams in the United States, and our first defeat after thirty-one straight victories.

The Score:

Beaumont	28	Port Arthur	10
Beaumont	38	Port Arthur	15
Beaumont	42	South Park	13
Beaumont	24	South Park	10
Beaumont	32	South Park	16
Beaumont	16	Sour Lake	11
Beaumont	38	Sour Lake	12
Beaumont	30	Kirbyville	11
Beaumont	24	Port Neches	9
Beaumont	54	S. P. J. College	13
Beaumont	36	S. P. J. College	15
Beaumont	38	Magnolia All-Stars	20
Beaumont	24	Magnolia All Stars	22
Beaumont	28	Magnolia All-Stars	14
Beaumont	26	City Market	22
Beaumont	2	Silsbee	0
Beaumont	60	Deweyville	9
Beaumont	48	Kountze	11
Beaumont	23	Houston	18
Beaumont	26	Galveston	20
Beaumont	32	Galveston	21
Beaumont	24	Estelline	18
Beaumont	30	Sulphur Springs	14
Beaumont	22	El Paso	19
Beaumont	14	San Antonio	12
Beaumont	30	Kappa Sigma of Ill. U.	24
Beaumont	2	Miami, Florida	0
Beaumont	21	Devils Lake	22
Total, Beaumont	802	Opponents	381

1925
CENTER
FORWARD
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GUARD

"BEGINNING"
"GLADYS TIME"
"NECESSITIES"
BASKET
BALL
"DORIS"
"COTTONS INSPIRATION"
"HOLDING"?-2 SHOTS
"OURS"
2 in 1
LIL-LILLIAN
GOING DOWN
FAT-I-GUED
END

GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM
Top Row—Miss Worley, (Coach); Clifton, Derouen, Armstrong, Roberts.
Bottom Row—Blanchette, Hooks, V. Hooker, (Captain); Dean, (Manager); Metzke, L. Hooker.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL SEASON

The Beaumont girls were very successful this season, winning every game played at home and losing by only one point at the State Tournament. The highest score ever made against them was 13 points, and their opponents' score totaled 109 points to their 284. Fourteen games were played—twelve won, one tied, and one lost.

The Score:

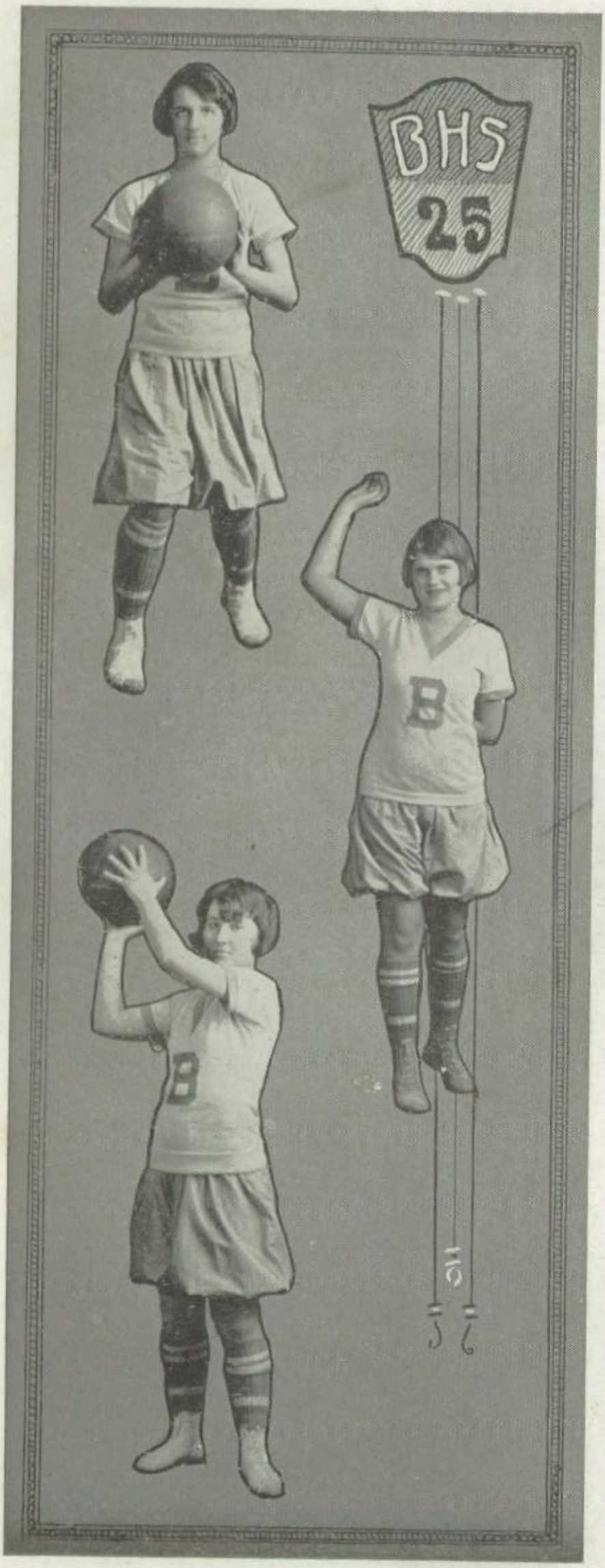
Beaumont.....	20	—Ball High	6
Beaumont.....	13	—Port Neches	13
Beaumont.....	25	—Nederland	9
Beaumont.....	11	—Texaco	3
Beaumont.....	18	—Good Gulf	6
Beaumont.....	37	—Gulf Refiners	8
Beaumont.....	15	—Texaco	5
Beaumont.....	20	—Good Gulf	8
Beaumont.....	43	—Gulf Refiners	5
Beaumont.....	23	—Saratoga	9
Beaumont.....	15	—Jennings	9
Beaumont.....	24	—Jennings	9
Beaumont.....	11	—Port Arthur All-Stars	9
Beaumont.....	9	—Breckenridge	10
Total, Beaumont..	284	—Opponents	109

VERDA HOOKER
GUARD

Our captain and all-State guard, is one of the best sports that ever donned a B. H. S. uniform. We are much indebted to Orange for giving us such a finished product to lead our powerful Girls' Team of '25. Verda puts pep and enthusiasm into everything she undertakes, and has made a worthy leader for the first winning Girls' Team Beaumont High has known in many years. We lose her next year, but her influence will serve to inspire to even greater achievements the Girls' Team of '26.

MANAGER JIMMIE DEAN
CENTER

Gum, noise, "skint" knees, and running center—that's Jimmie Dean. We could not have had a more efficient or more hard working business manager than she has been. Even when it seemed impossible to get a game, she always managed to rustle one. It was mainly through her untiring efforts to get money that our Team journeyed to Waco.



EOLA CLIFTON
FORWARD

During the season of '24 Eola was a "sensation" as a running center. She proved so capable of rustling the ball, that at the beginning of this season she was transferred to forward. In every game, she has been the hard working "feeder" back of the center line. She was never known to give up, but always fought all the harder when the odds seemed to be against her. Won't she make a wonderful Captain next year?

RUTH HOOKS
CENTER

In Ruth we have a new kind of a girl—and a new kind of a player. No. 10 is always "right there" in her ring and is ever on her ball. She plays rough, but hers is a brilliant game. She has a winning personality, is such a good all around sport that we are almost sorry that she graduates this year. Stay in there, Ruth.

LILLIAN HOOKER
GUARD

"Baby Jack" is following fast in the footsteps of her big sister, Verda. She is in every sense of the word—on her guard. She doesn't need urging to make her guard her man; she's just there. Lillian received honorable mention at the Waco tournament this year. We hope she makes all state next year. It's luck for us that she isn't leaving.

GLADYS ARMSTRONG
GUARD

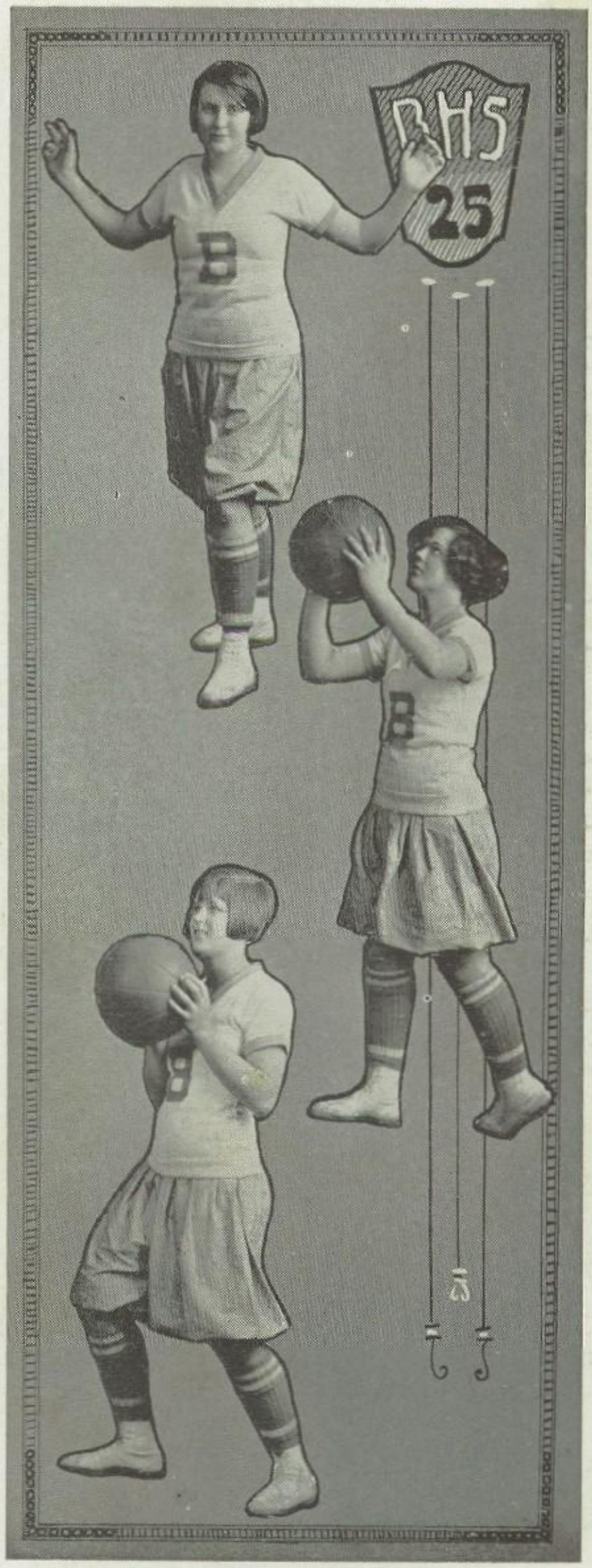
"Dutch" is strong, and she surely has shown up well for her first year out. She is our sub-guard and a good one at that. She will be with us next year, and we're looking forward to seeing her give all she has for the Purple. Show us you can do it, "Dutch"!

BESSIE MAE DEROUEN
FORWARD

Bessie Mae, better known as "Futsie", is one of our stars. To her belongs the most spectacular position on the team—that of a "goal-shooting" forward. It is also part of her duty to embrace Eola after every score. Either her winning personality, her brilliant playing, or both, caused her to make quite an impression on the "jelly" fans at Waco.

GENEVIEVE METZKE
FORWARD

Genevieve is here again this year and is as good as ever. She nearly always plays some part in every game, and her playing is hard and consistent. Her congenial nature and ever ready spirit have endeared her to her team mates who will welcome her next year. We know who won the Chilton game, "Metzke".



THE GIRL'S TEAM

NEX CAP'N

! BEST SQUAD IN STATE !

SEXTET

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THE DEFENSE

★ STARS ★

ROUGH AND ROWDY

HAY! HAY!

'BABY'

EXPERTS

FOOTSIE

THE OFFENSE

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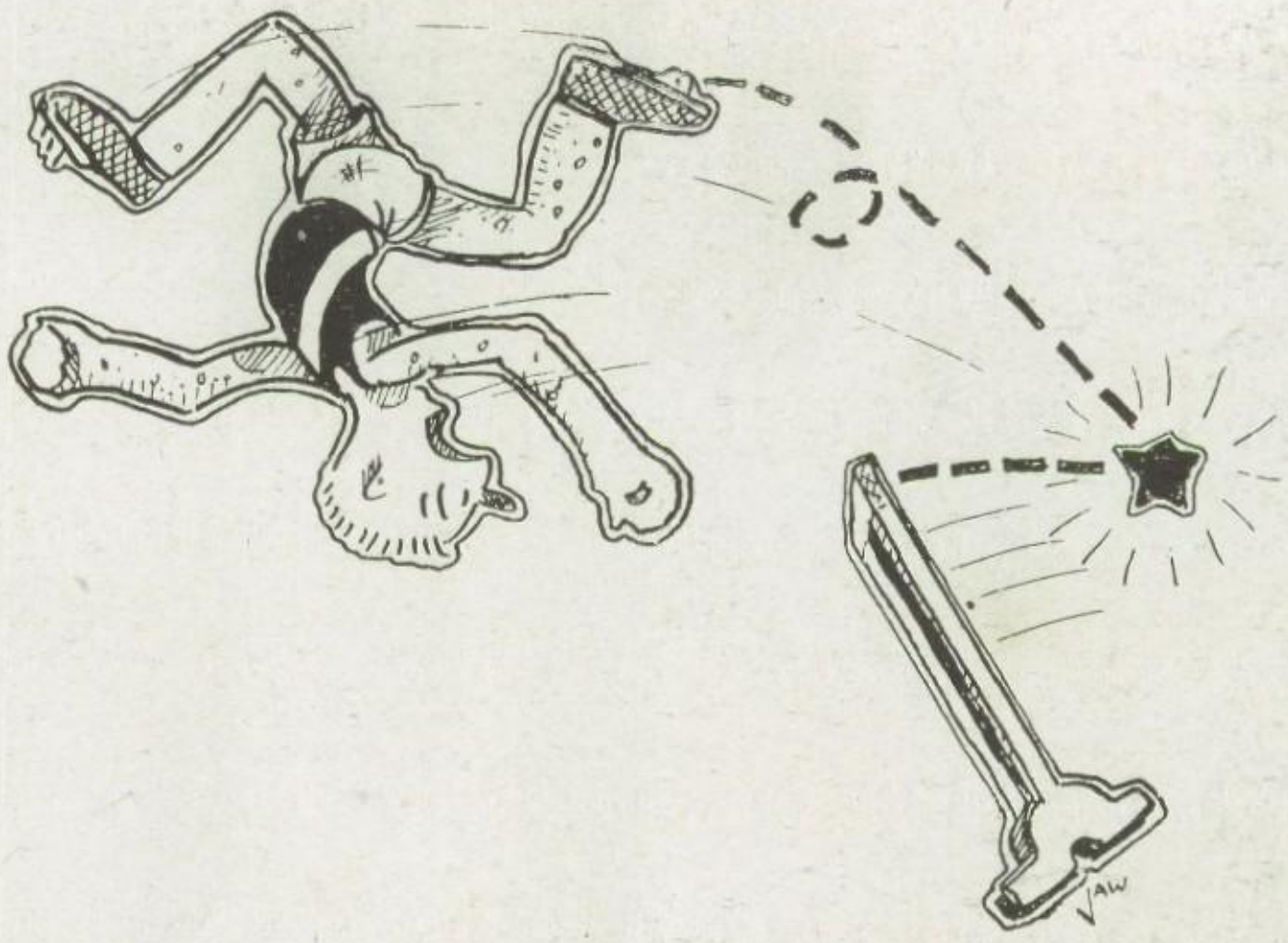


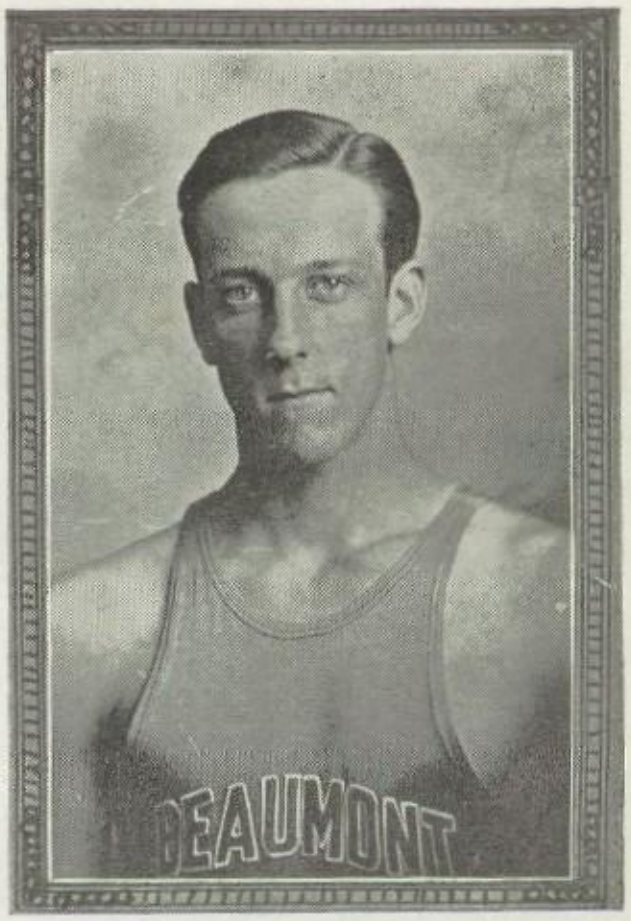
1925 TRACK SEASON

Due to the extra long Basketball season, the Tracksters did not start real training until several weeks after our rival Teams had begun to get into form. While the Basketball Team was in Chicago, our unequalled Sam Balliew represented B. H. S. in the annual Rice Meet and won for himself an Elgin watch, when he led the field in the high hurdles. Two weeks later, at the District Meet in Orange, this same Balliew enabled B. H. S. to win over Port Arthur 53-52 when he was high point man of the Meet, with four first places and one third to his credit. Captain Hunter and his men took second place in the High School Track Meet held in Houston, April 18th.

B. H. S. took third place in the State Meet at Austin on May 10, with cnly one representative. Sam came home with one first, one second, and one third place.

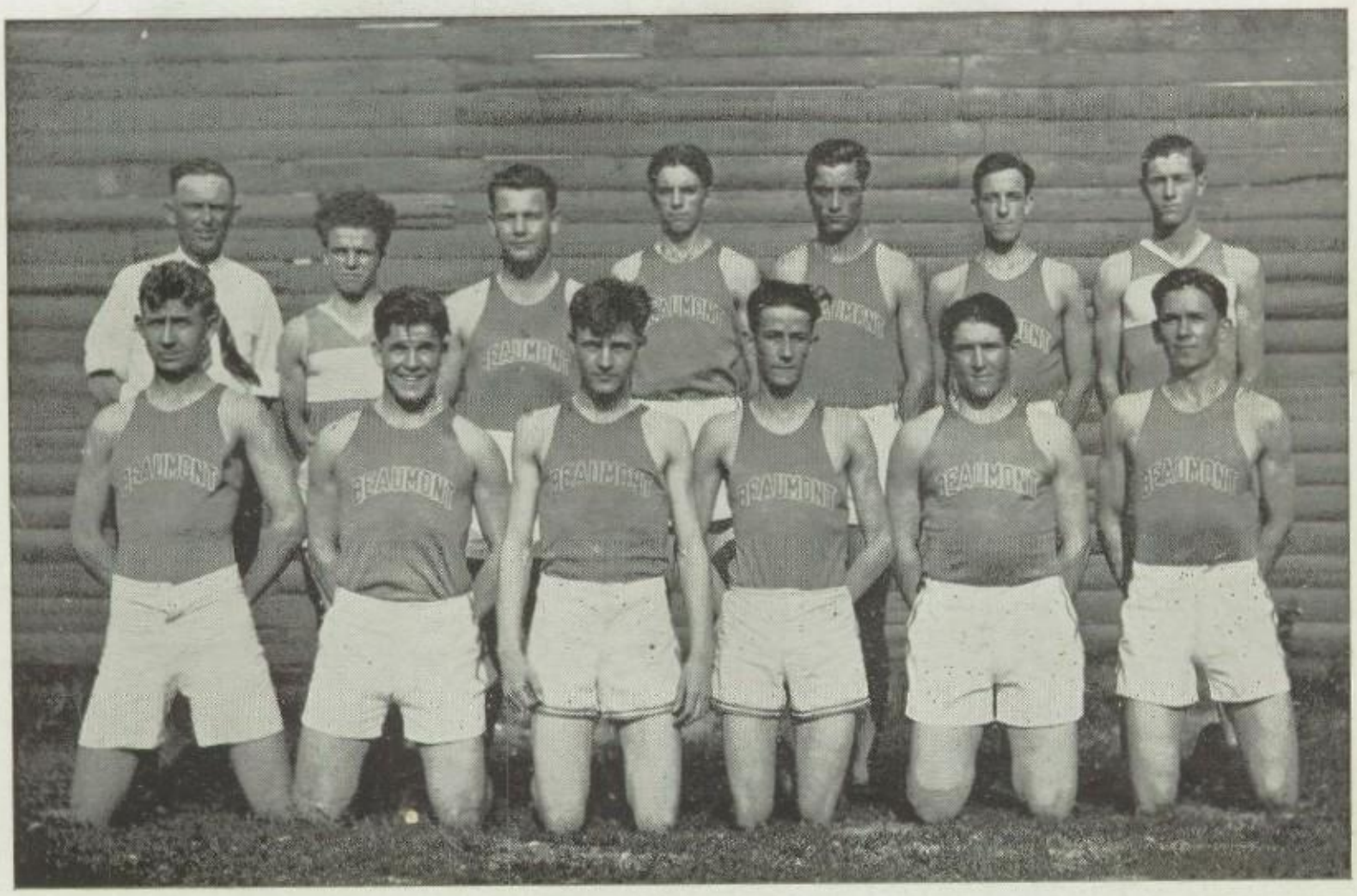
The letter men of this season are Captain Dilly Hunter, Sam Balliew, Joe Davidson, W. J. Derouen, Ed. Beular, Augie Saxe, Holly Brock, and Frank Varnado. Coach Dimmitt entered these men in the following events at the Orange Meet.

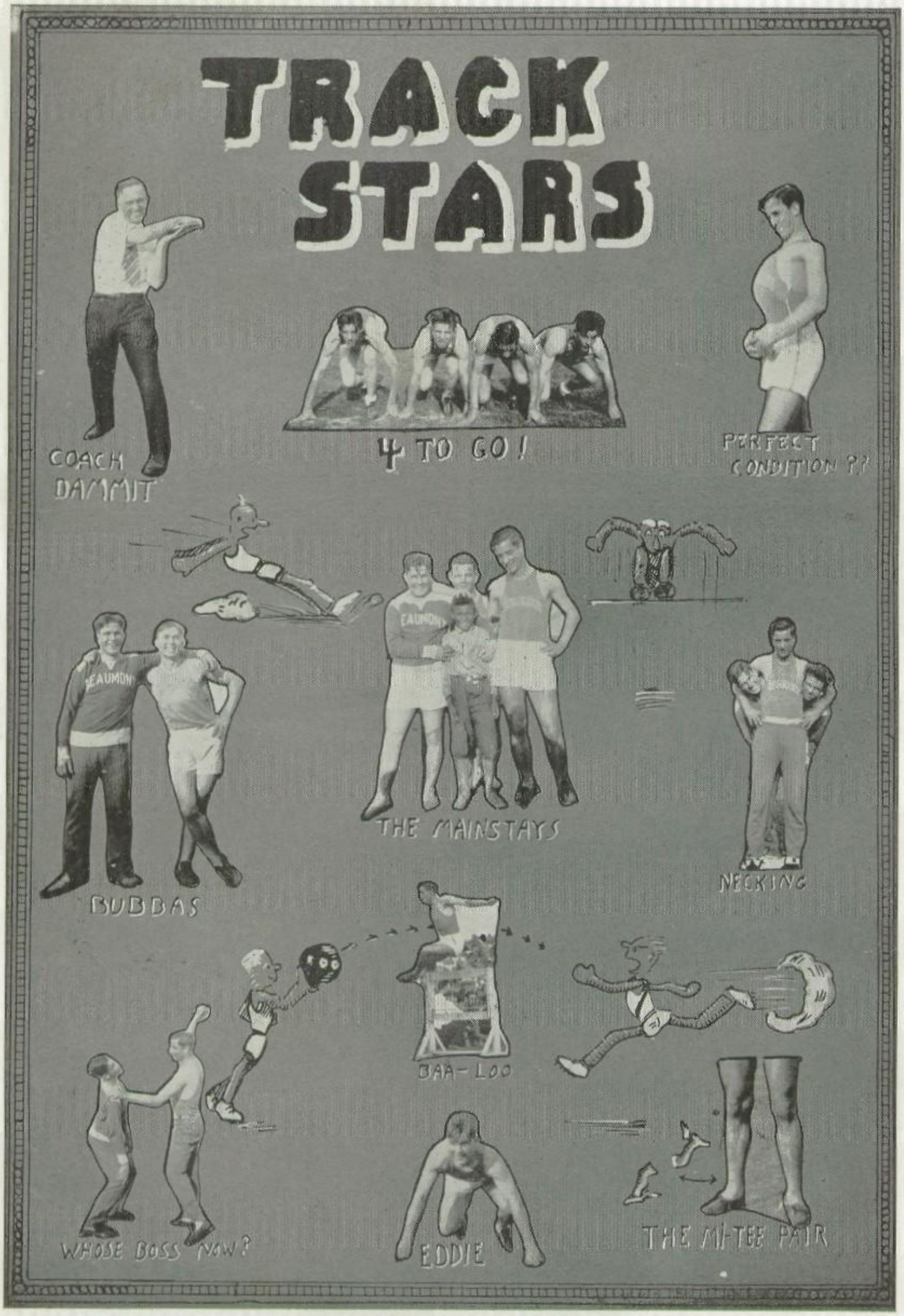
High Hurdles: Balliew, Derouen, Davidson
Low Hurdles: Balliew, Derouen, Hunter
Broad Jump: Balliew, Saxe
High Jump: Hunter, Balliew
Discus: Varnado, McDonald
Javelin: Balliew, Varnado, Beular
Shot Put: Johnson, McDonald, Brock
100 Yard Dash: Derouen, Beular, Saxe
220 Yard Dash: Derouen, Beular, Saxe
440Yard Dash: Brock, Clemmons, Waite
880 Yard Dash: Hunter, Davidson, Brock
One Mile: Davidson, Kelley
One Mile Relay: Balliew, Brock, Beular, Saxe



CAPTAIN CHARLES HUNTER

Before track season started, "Dilly" was a star on the gridiron and the basketball court, but this in no way kept him from being one of the mainstays of the Purple Track Team of 1925. He proved himself to be an expert high jumper as well as a good distance runner. He was an ideal captain, and B. H. S. loses one of the best athletes that she has had for years when Charles Hunter gets his "sheep skin" this year.




TRACK STARS
COACH DAMMIT
4 TO GO!
PERFECT CONDITION ??
BUBBAS
THE MAINSTAYS
NECKING
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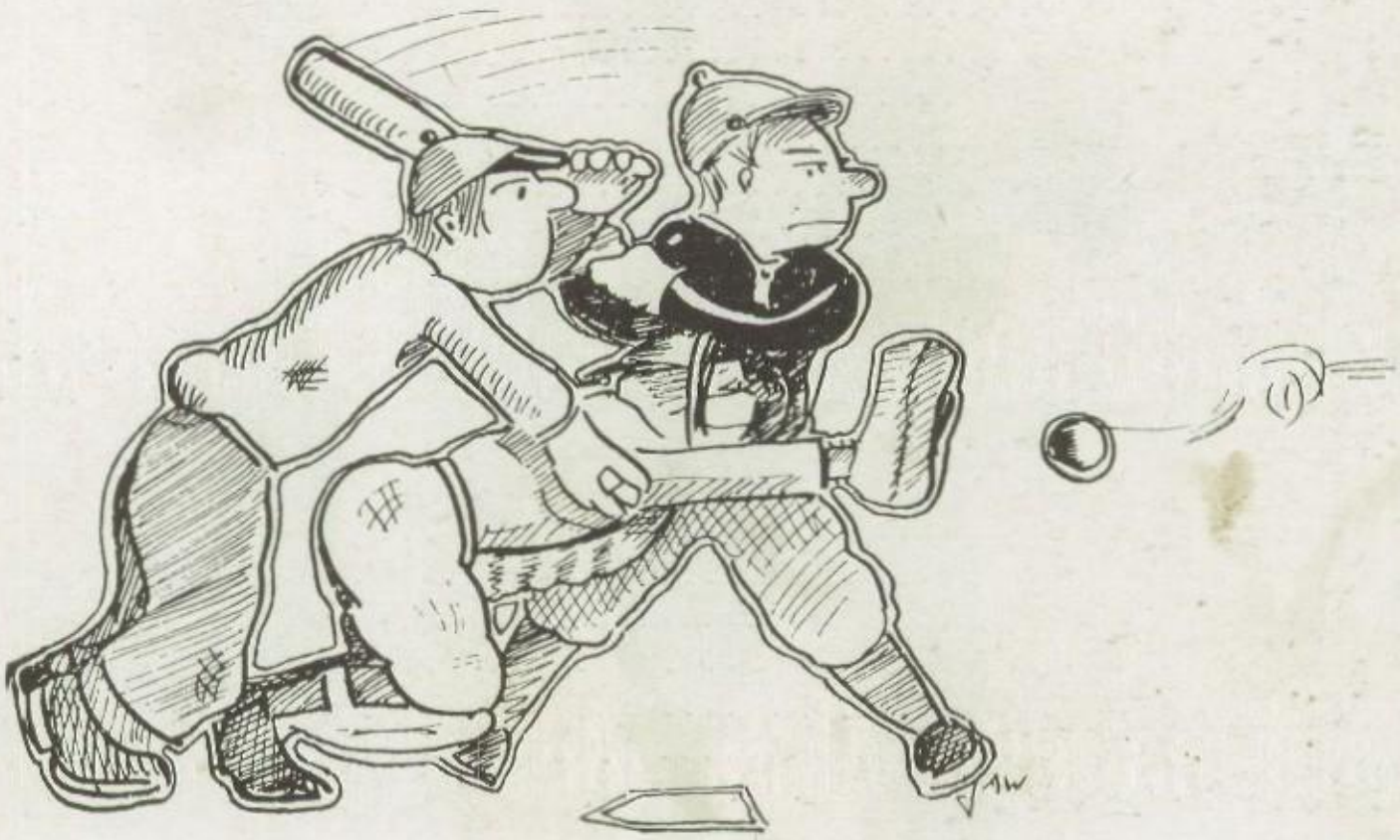
WHOSE BOSS NOW?
EDDIE
THE MI-TEE PAIR

BASE BALL



BASEBALL PROSPECTS, 1925

It is greatly to be regretted that the "Pine Burr" must go to press before the final results of the baseball season are known. Present prospects indicate that this year's Team will follow the example set by the other athletic Teams and win district championship, or even more.

Out of some twenty-five who reported for practice, there are seven of our own letter men from last season, and two from other schools.

The letter men who reported this season are: Dan Dearing, Wayland Cotton, Holly Brock, Frank Fontana, Frank Varnado, Reid Tevis, Roderick Irwin, Augie Saxe, of South Park, and Paul Anger, from Mississippi.

Under the leadership of Dan Dearing, captain, and Coach Dimmitt, the Team is bound to go far.

The catching positions are well filled by Beular, Cotton, and Nosek. The pitchers are Anger, LaRocca and Van Wormer. Both the infield and outfield are exceptionally strong, so the Purple has the right to expect another Champion Team.

The starting line-up in the first two victories was:

Dearing ..... Left Field
Fontana ..... Third Base
Brock ..... Short Stop
Irwin ..... Right Field
Johnson ..... Center Field
Tevis ..... Second Base
Saxe ..... First Base
Cotton ..... Catcher
Anger ..... Pitcher

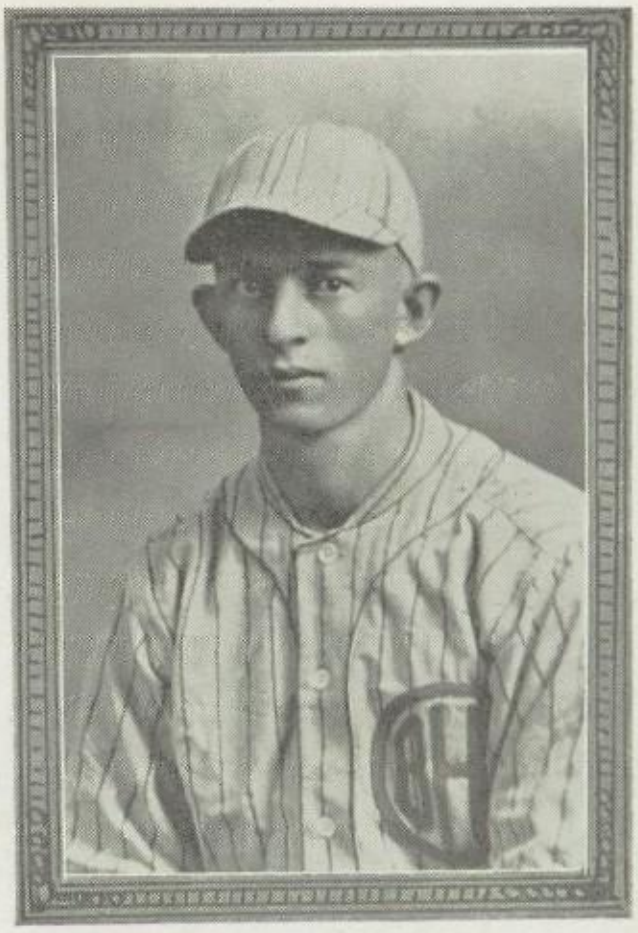
Those that got into the game as subs were:

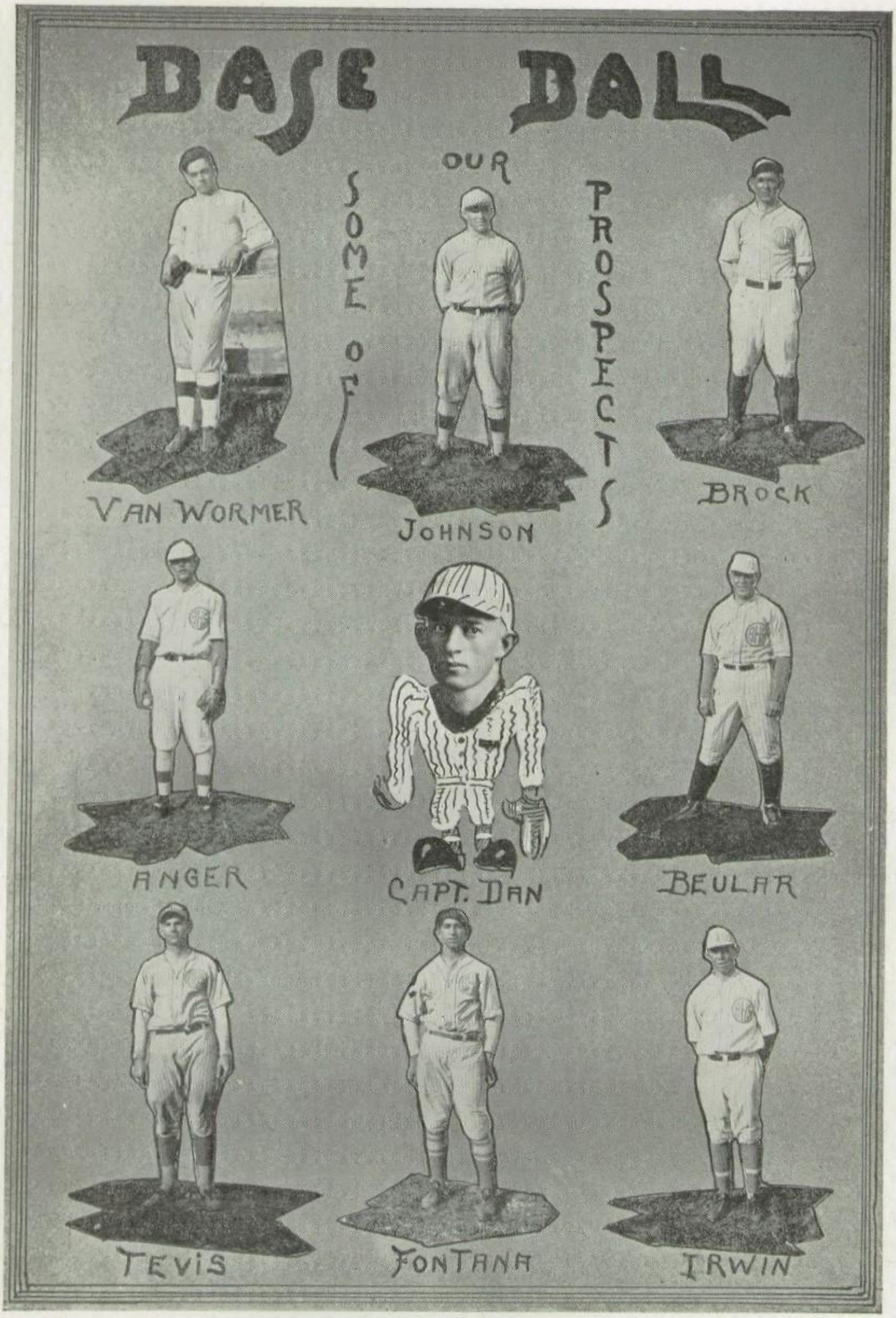
Beular ..... Catcher
Nosek ..... Catcher
Varnado ..... Third Base
Radford ..... Outfield
Halbouty ..... Outfield
LaRocca ..... Pitcher
Van Wormer ..... Pitcher
Durso ..... Pitcher
Stahl ..... First Base

DAN DEARING

Captain—Left Field

In the sport that he loves best, Dan proved to be one of the most capable players that B. H. S. has produced in years. Coming back for his fourth letter, Dan was accorded the highest honor that was in the Team's power to bestow—captaincy of the Purple Baseball Squad. A capable leader, a constant hitter, and a perfect fielder are some of the reasons why we believe that "Dapper" might some day set the baseball world on fire.




BASE BALL
SOME OF OUR PROSPECTS
VAN WORMER
JOHNSON
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ANGER
CAPT. DAN
BEULAR
TEVIS
FONTANA
IRWIN

REVIEW OF THE YEAR IN ATHLETICS

Under the leadership of Coach Dimmitt, 1924-1925 proved to be the banner year for the Royal Purple in every branch of athletics. The Football Team reached the semi-finals of the Interscholastic League, the Basketball Team won State Championship, and as the Pine Burr goes to press, the Track Team holds the District Title, and the Baseball squad has the earmarks of being top-notchers.

The Beaumont High School Football Team, captained by Ed Beular, was one of the fastest and strongest Teams that our school has ever put on the gridiron, and their work will be hard to excel. The first nine games of the season were played at home before the loyal students of the Beaumont High School and enthusiastic fans of the city. The Royal Purple plowed through such Teams as Warren Easton, of New Orleans; Shreveport, Lake Charles, Houston Central, Marshall, Robstown, Port Arthur, South Park, and Galveston, coming out of each game victorious. A special train took over three hundred fans from Beaumont to Waco to witness that memorable game. Although we were defeated by a score of 10-0, our Team showed such fight and sportsmanship that they were cheered by their opponents.

The highest honors of the state went to our Basketball Team which drove through a wonderful season under the able generalship of captain Holly Brock. After making an easy sweep of the district championship, the Royal Purple Basketeers upset the dope bucket and turned back the powerful Houston Central five on a Houston court for the right to attend the state meet in Austin. Beaumont was not touted as a real contender for the cup by sport scribes ouside of Beaumont and Fort Worth, but lived up to the name that was given them by "Spike" Cooper of the Enterprise and "Pop" Boone of the Fort Worth Record. In every game of the title race, the Purple showed more power than in preceding game and finally worked into the final combat with Breckenridge High of San Antonio. The boys from the Alamo city were unable to withstand the driving attack of Brock and his men and went down to a 14-12 defeat, giving Beaumont the State Title. It was then "On to Chi!" where in the National Tournament they met the best Teams in the United States, and lost by one point to Devils Lake, North Dakota, their first opponents. In the consolation game, Miami, Florida, forfeited to Beaumont, and in the second and last contest for the Purple, St. George, Utah, won.

The Girls' Basketball team, captained by Verda Hooker, won more games and more honors than any other Girls' Team B. H. S. has ever produced. They won over all Teams in this section of Texas and Louisiana and received their first defeat in the State Tournament at Waco, where they were runners up in the consolation contest. The Girls' Tennis Team won the District Title at Orange, represented B. H. S. at Austin in the State Tournament.

Despite the fact that several of the basketball players were track aspirants also, and that the basketball season ran far into the time usually devoted to the building up of a track team, our tracksters made a good showing under Captain Dilly Hunter. We defeated our rival, Port Arthur, and claimed the district title in a meet held in Orange. At the Rice Meet our ex-captain, Ballicw, won honors in the hurdles. We won second place in the High School contest at Houston, and expect to go still further in the State Meet at Austin.

The Baseball Team with "Dapper" Dan Dearing as its leader looks good and has won its first three contests of the year—over South Park High, South Park Junior College, and Terrill's Combats, by big scores. The fielding and hitting of the team so far leads us to believe that the Purple will be the strongest high school team in this section.

Out of a total of 66 games played by High's athletes, 4 defeats are charged against them making their percentage .939.

We have attained an enviable place in the athletic realm of the state by winning many games, but that which pleases us most is that we have won the hearts of the fans of Texas by our clean, hard fighting and true sportsmanship. For all this we are deeply indebted to Coach Dimmitt, our director of athletics, and to his able assistants, "Ted" Winn, football line-coach ,and Miss Worley, coach of the girls' team. May we all work with them and help them lead us on ever higher and higher.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS IN BEAUMONT

The greatest factor for promoting real school spirit in any high school or college is its athletics. In doing this it is not necessary that sports take the time and interest that should be given to other phases of school life, but the right kind of interest in athletics intensifies the love and loyalty for the school in all its departments. In order to reach the standards of true sportsmanship demanded by B. H. S., it is necessary for each individual athlete to conform himself to such ideals as will lift him out of the common ways of life and place him on a higher plane of character and conduct.

We are fortunate in having a student body that gives such loyal support to athletics. Much effort has been extended by the Boosters, the Skippers, the Band—in fact, the whole rooting section—in letting the teams know that we are back of them all the time and in showing the world that the teams represented the whole school. The members of our athletic council have given unselfishly of their time and service. We appreciate them beyond measure.

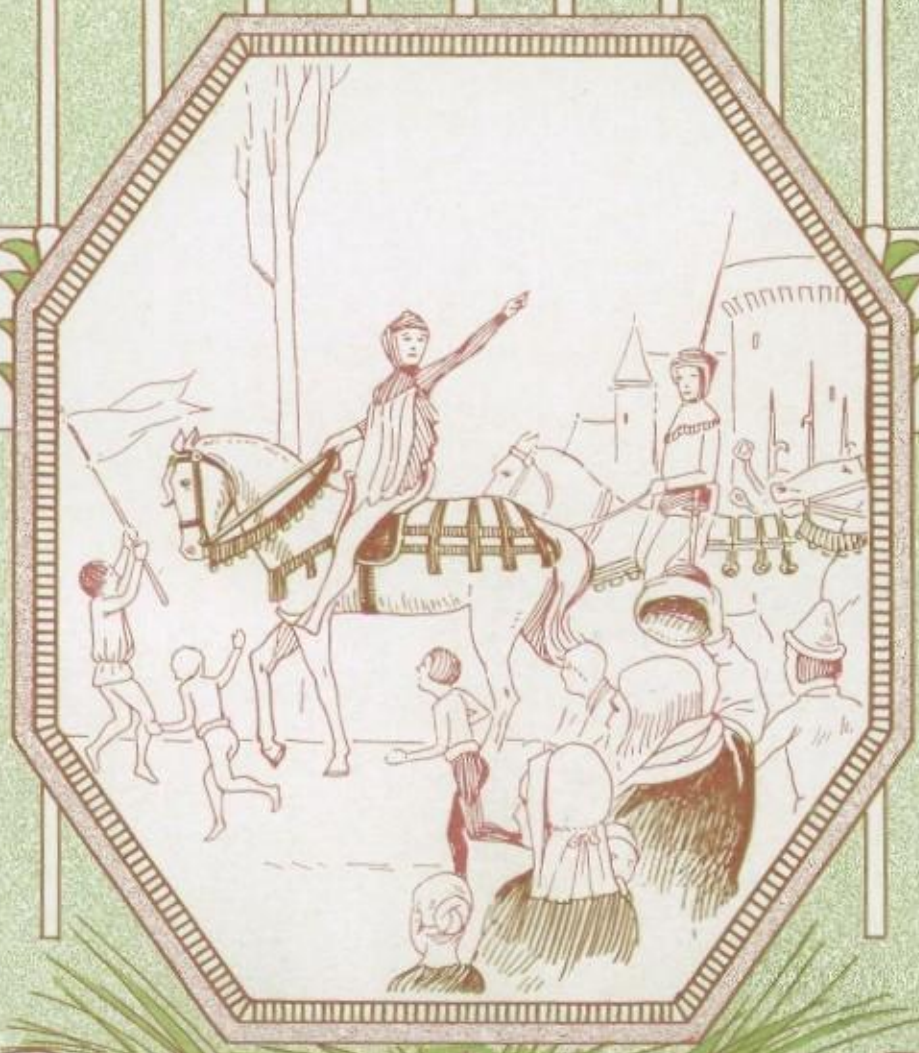
Not only within our ranks did our teams receive support, but this year, more than ever, the whole city of Beaumont proved itself to be solidly behind us. If financial aid was needed, the response was always generous. The football camp and the Chicago trip were made possible by the fans of our city. They were responsible for the special train that took our crowd to Waco. In fact, all we did do was to express a desire and our dreams would come true.

We appreciate the material aid they furnished us, but their moral support, presence at our games, their words of encouragement and sound advice meant much more to us. That deluge of telegrams from individuals and organizations that was showered on our Football Team at Waco, and our Champion Basketeers at Austin and Chicago deepened our love for this city and its people as nothing else could have done.

The "Enterprise" and "Journal" were our most loyal friends, taking great interest in all our work at home and sending representatives on our trips. KFDM gave us many a boost over the radio.

Foremost among all the supporters of the Purple were our doctors. Rendering services too numerous to mention before games, during the games, and afterwards if necessary, they claimed us as their own and ministered to us as if we really belonged to them. Dr. Davis, our osteopath, was always in demand and many were the aches that he shielded us from. Frequent visits were made to Dr. Hodges, Dr. Gober, Dr. McMickin, and others, but never a cent did they charge us for their services. We challenge any city any where to match our medical staff.

Beaumont High owes a debt of gratitude to her friends that she can never pay. Let her strive ever to be worthy of their friendship by being always in the truest sense of the word, GOOD SPORTS.



Activities

ORGANIZATIONS

THE SCHUBERT SEXTET

MRS. LENA MILAM.....*Director*

"By music minds an equal temper know
Nor swell too high nor sink too low."

The Schubert Sextet is a popular chamber music ensemble in the Music Department of B. H. S., having been organized two years ago. Often when the Orchestra was asked to play, it was neither advisable nor convenient to use the whole number, and smaller groups were pressed into service. With the ever increasing proficiency acquired in the string section, the idea of a string sextet was conceived. The girls practice one evening each week, and are in constant demand for musicales in neighboring towns as well as at home.

At the request of Miss Helen Norfleet of the Norfleet Trio, Mrs. Milam wrote an article regarding the organization of this Sextet and the interest they have aroused in chamber music. This article, accompanied by the above picture, appeared in the March number of "The Violinist."

The girls comprising the Sextet are Edna Brooks and Erline Elkins, violins; Anita White, viola; Kathleen Ashley, cello; Ethel White, bass; and Mrs. Lena Milam, pianist and director.

BEAUMONT HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

ALLIE MAE HUITT.....*President*
DAVID AUDIBERT.....*Vice-President*
TULA MAE PITTMAN.....*Secretary and Treasurer*
ANITA WHITE.....*Librarian*
MRS. LENA MILAM.....*Director*

"And it will discourse most eloquent music."

B. H. S. is very proud of the orchestra that has gained her state-wide recognition for the past three years. Miss Milam, who is known throughout the state for her exceptional musical ability, has proven herself a wonderful leader. Each member has worked hard individually to make his work a success, but it is their splendid cooperation that has made the orchestra what it is.

Several times during the last term they gave programs in the auditorium to raise money for their Belton trip. These programs were very successful, not only from a financial viewpoint, but also from the pleasure they afforded the school as a whole.

Due to the interest and the loyal spirit of each individual member and the wonderful direction of Mrs. Milam, this Orchestra has been called by the Press, "The Most Complete Symphony Orchestra in any High School in the State of Texas."

EUTERPEAN CLUB

LOUELLA WARD.....*President*
BETTY GREER.....*Vice-President*
JANE KEITH.....*Secretary*
MARY AGNES CLAIBORNE.....*Librarian*
MRS. LENA MILAM.....*Director*

"Euterpe! with lute and lyre,
Of man's greatest pleasures, the inspirer."

The Euterpean Club has been a very active organization in B. H. S. Its membership includes the second year class in music, a course giving special attention to music appreciation and the history of music; however, a part of the course consists of chorus singing.

The Euterpean members have given a series of interesting programs during the year, including a "Twilight Musical" during the Christmas holidays, and other entertainments during Music Week. This club is federated with the State and National Clubs.

JUNIOR HARMONY CLUB

WILLIE FRANCES KIRKPATRICK.....*President*
AGNES PALMER.....*Vice-President*
DI VERNON MCFADDIN.....*Secretary and Treasurer*
ERLINE ELKINS.....*Librarian*
MRS. LENA MILAM.....*Director*

"Untwisting all the chains that tie the hidden soul of harmony."

The High School Junior Harmony Club was organized in September, 1923, under the direction of Mrs. Milam. The school had long been needing such a club, and it was hailed with such enthusiasm that the roster now boasts thirty three members. The increasing importance of music in the school curriculum caused the club to be made a regular high school course, one affiliated credit being given for the year's work.

The club work consists of chorus singing, theory, harmony, and music appreciation. They have attractive club meetings held once a month open to the public. They appeared before the Texas Federation of Music Clubs which met in Beaumont the last of April, and presented a program to the student body of High School during Music Week.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

JIMMIE DEAN.....*President*
LILLIAN HOFFER.....*Vice-President*
CYNTHEAL GREER.....*Secretary*
BETTY GREER.....*Librarian*
MRS. LENA MILAM.....*Director*

"The devil hath not in all his quiver's choice
An arrow for the heart like a sweet voice."

The Girls' Glee Club has had a very decided increase in popularity this year. More students have joined the chorus than ever before in the history of B. H. S., and as a result the enrollment has advanced from forty to one hundred. A new phase of this organization is the giving of very interesting programs during National Week of Songs in February, and Fourth Annual Music Week in April. The Club meets every Tuesday during the assembly period to practice songs ranging from Operatic selections to "Reuben, Reuben."

Glee Club music not only affords a great deal of pleasure to the one studying it, but it is also educational, for art, literature and history are all closely allied to music.

Three cheers for the Glee Club, and let us hope that in the future it will progress as rapidly as it did in '25.

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

ALLAN BUCK.....*President*
FRANKLIN NOBLE.....*Secretary and Treasurer*
MRS. LENA MILAM.....*Director*

"And they call it Music."

The Boys' Glee Club did not get well started until late in the season, as their meeting place, the auditorium during the assembly period on Thursday, was frequently pressed into service for pep meetings. However, despite this handicap, they have worked hard and earnestly. During Music Week the club presented several interesting numbers which called forth much favorable comment; chorus work was featured in these numbers.

Interest in the Boys' Glee Club has increased greatly this year, and the boys have entered whole-heartedly into the work. Work studied includes operettas, comic songs, and general choruses, with the last predominating. A novel variation of the cut and dried chorus has been introduced into the club work by the featuring of several soloists, and thus has B. H. S. suddenly discovered in her ranks several potential Carusos and McCormicks.

HIGH SCHOOL BAND

GEORGE ALLAN PEGLAR.....*President*

"Oh listen to the band
Don't you think its grand?"

The heartfelt thanks of the entire school are due the members of the band. For what, indeed, would a football or basketball game have been without the band, spick and span in their purple and white uniforms, to spur players and rooters alike on to greater efforts? At the memorable Waco game they were on hand and at their best. The Rotarians were more than repaid for their sacrifice in sending them, when they saw this midget Band bravely parading the streets of Waco in time to the strains of "B. H. S. Falls in Line."

Although many members of this organization graduate this year, B. H. S. is hoping for as loyal and peppy band in '26 as it had in '25.

SKIPPERS

TIM WILL.....*President*
IRA WOODARD.....*Vice-President*
PETE STUART.....*Secretary and Treasurer*
MR. FARMER.....*Faculty Adviser*

Motto: "Beat the Women."

Some layol High School boys, under the direction of Mr. Farmer, evidently decided the girls with their Booster Club were attracting entirely too much attention, and forthwith set about forming a similar organization for boys. Seventy-five of them immediately pledged their allegiance to the new cause, and set out to "Beat the women!" Whether they have lived up to their grim motto this year is, at least in the girls' opinion, a matter open for debate, but it is certain that they have progressed rapidly in this their first year. When first organized, the success of the club seemed a little doubtful for never before had B. H. S. had an organized boys rooting section, but even the fears of the most skeptical were soon dispelled when they made their appearance at one of the early games. They would attract attention in any crowd, both because of their pep and their uniforms, which consist of natty white sailor suits and caps. The rivalry between the Skippers and Boosters has been entirely friendly, and has done much to further the school spirit; so here's to the Skippers, may we have them again next year!

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

WILMA STONER.....*President*
ERLINE ELKINS.....*Vice-President*
AGNES PALMER.....*Secretary*
JOSEPHINE ANDERSON.....*Treasurer*
MISS LUCILE LOWNDES.....*Faculty Adviser*

"Man can live without music, poetry, and books,
But civilized man cannot live without cooks."

This quotation should be amended to include seamstresses, for they, in their way, are quite as important as cooks. The Home Economics Club was organized both for the purpose of bringing these two divisions of the Home Economics Department into closer contact, and of linking the Home Economics school work more closely with the home. Under these two general heads come the following, more definite purposes on the part of the students—to perfect themselves in fine points of eitquette, to appreciate good music, to improve the dress and health of the High School girls, and to earn money to enable them to attend the State Clothing Contest.

The students give entertaining programs which serve not only to interest the members, but to instill many useful lessons concerning Home Economics for which time is not given in the regular course. This club has also served to increase the spirit of cooperation among the girls and their instructors. All over the state, modern, progressive schools are forming these organizations which prove successful and helpful additions to the Home Economics Department. B. H. S. H. E. C. was affiliated with the State and National Association in March.

JUNIOR JOYS

MARY CURTIS MCCLURKIN.....*President*
MARY WILSON.....*Vice-President*
MARTHA WILLIS.....*Secretary and Treasurer*

"Ah, you flavor everything,
You are the vanilla of society."

Question—"And who are the Junior Joys?" Answer—The peppiest club in the Junior Class. One never hears of them but that they are coming from, going to, or at a party. Their motto is "Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow you will eat, drink, and be merrier!" Assuredly they live up to this, for of all their numberless entertainments, the last always seems the best. They plan to take in new members each year so that the club may be continued indefinitely, and prove to be the "joy" of many Junior classes to come.

The members are Mary Curtis McClurkin, Mary Wilson, Martha Willis, Oswald Parker, Ida Roberts, Bettie Kennedy, Estelle Pipkin, Justa and Jerome Cartwright, Bessie Martin, Hildegarde Scharnberg, and Mary Wilder.

DEBATING CLUB

GUY FOX.....*President*
MARION MUNRO.....*Vice-President*
MARY FURRY.....*Secretary*
MISS MCWILLIAMS.....*Faculty Adviser*

"For every why they have a wherefore."

The High School Debating Club, numbering twenty five members, was organized for the purpose of entering contestants in the Interscholastic Debates.

After the final elimination contests, it was found that the following had been chosen to compete in the district meet: Girls' Team, Irma Hander and Eola Clifton, Boys' Team, Marion Munro and Guy Fox. The subject for debate this year was: "Resolved: That the Philippine Islands should be Granted their Independence in Five Years." However, the scope of the club is not limited to the state; a Team composed of Frances Anderson and Mary Furry was selected to go to New Orleans to take part in the Interscholastic Debates to be held at Sophia Newcomb over the question, "Resolved: That the Federal Child Labor Amendment Should Be Ratified and Made a Part of the Basal Law of the Land."

DRAMATIC DABBLERS

JEWEL GRAHAM.....*President*
JIMMIE DEAN.....*Vice-President*
SELMA TIEDEMAN.....*Secretary*
MRS. J. W. HORN.....*Faculty Adviser*

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

From the standpoint of age, the Dramatic Dabblers are in their infancy, having made their debut this year, but judging by all they have accomplished, they are much older. The first play, "Two Crooks and a Lady," was presented by the club in February, and would have done credit to a much older and more experienced cast.

A "B" average in English is one of the requirements for membership, and each member keeps strictly up to the mark. That they take the work seriously and work hard is proved when it is remembered that all their meetings and rehearsals are held after school hours. However at the height of its career the club was seriously handicapped in the loss of its faithful friend and adviser, Mrs. J. Wendell Horn, who was forced to resign on account of illness.

OLDER BOYS' CONFERENCE

HOLLY BROCK.....*President*
IVAN SINGLETON.....*Secretary and Treasurer*
ALLAN BUCK.....*Yell Leader*
MR. MAX MORRISON.....*Leader*

"Are you good men and true?"

The Thirteenth Annual State Older Boys' Conference was held at A. & M. College on February 6th, 7th, and 8th. The Beaumont delegation of thirty-five boys with Mr. Morrison, Mr. Harrison and Mr. McDanald arrived on the evening of the sixth. The outstanding speakers of the Conference were Messrs. Morrison, Harrison, McDanald, White, Bone, and Dr. W. B. Bizzell, president of A. & M. Mr. Morrison, the leader of boys' work in Beaumont, led the Devotional Services at the second session of the Conference, and Mr Harrison, general secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., was one of the guests at an official review of the Cadet Corps. Holly Brock, president of the Beaumont delegation, was appointed chairman of the nominating committee of the Conference.

The Conference was inspiring in every way, and all the delegates resolved to return home and put into practice the ideas and ideals they absorbed at the meeting.

HI-Y CLUB

SMYTH WALDEN.....*President*
HOLLY BROCK.....*Vice-President*
MARK MOORE.....*Treasurer*

"Clean speech, clean athletics, clean scholarship."

The year 1925 has been a very successful one for the Beaumont Hi-Y Club. This organization is supervised by Max Morrison, Boys' Work Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who has contributed greatly toward its success through the hard work and interest he puts into it. The club was organized a short time after school started, with twenty-five charter members; since that time the membership has increased until now includes about seventy-five representative High School boys. The purpose of the club is to promote high ideals among its members and to make better citizens of them in school and out.

The Hi-Y club meets every Tuesday night, at which time business is disposed of and an interesting program is enjoyed. This year some of the most prominent men of Beaumont have made talks to the club and they have always brought some message which has been of benefit to the members. A Father and Son banquet was given during the winter, and one of the outstanding speakers of the evening was Coach John Heisman of Rice.

This organization has been a splendid influence for good among the High School boys and much of the credit for this goes to their efficient leader, that Christian gentleman and all around good sport—Mr. Max. Morrison.

STUDENT CLUB

IRMA HANDER.....*President*
DORIS TATUM.....*Vice-President*
MARGARET BROCK.....*Secretary*
EOLA CLIFTON.....*Treasurer*
MISS LEBLANK.....*Faculty Adviser*

"To face life squarely."

The Student Club of Beaumont High School is more popular this year than it has ever been before. Perhaps one reason for this is that the girls have formed their own Dramatic Club, in which every member at some time or other, gets in the "lime-light." This branch of the club work has been very successful, and much previously unsuspected dramatic ability has been discovered among the members. Under the direction of Miss Brown the club has presented several groups of one-act plays, which proved very enjoyable.

One of the purposes of this organization is to bring the school girls into closer contact with the Y. W. C. A. and all that it stands for. The spiritual, mental, and physical development of the girls are all considered. During the past year the club has enjoyed several week-ends at Blue Triangle camp, aside from the annual outing in the summer.

"CIRCLE B" ASSOCIATION

RUTH HOOKS.....*President*
LILLIAN HOOKER.....*Secretary*

"Pretty pastime, 'tis royal sport."

The "Circle B" was rather late in organizing this year, but it showed rare judgment when it finally did choose its officers. The membership comprises all girls who have lettered in athletics, and it is a sister organization to the "B" association.

This group of girl athletes has enjoyed many good times together. Almost the entire delegation belonged to the Basketball Team that made such a hit both in Waco and Jennings—we wonder how many girls in those cities are without their "steadies" at present?

THE "B" ASSOCIATION

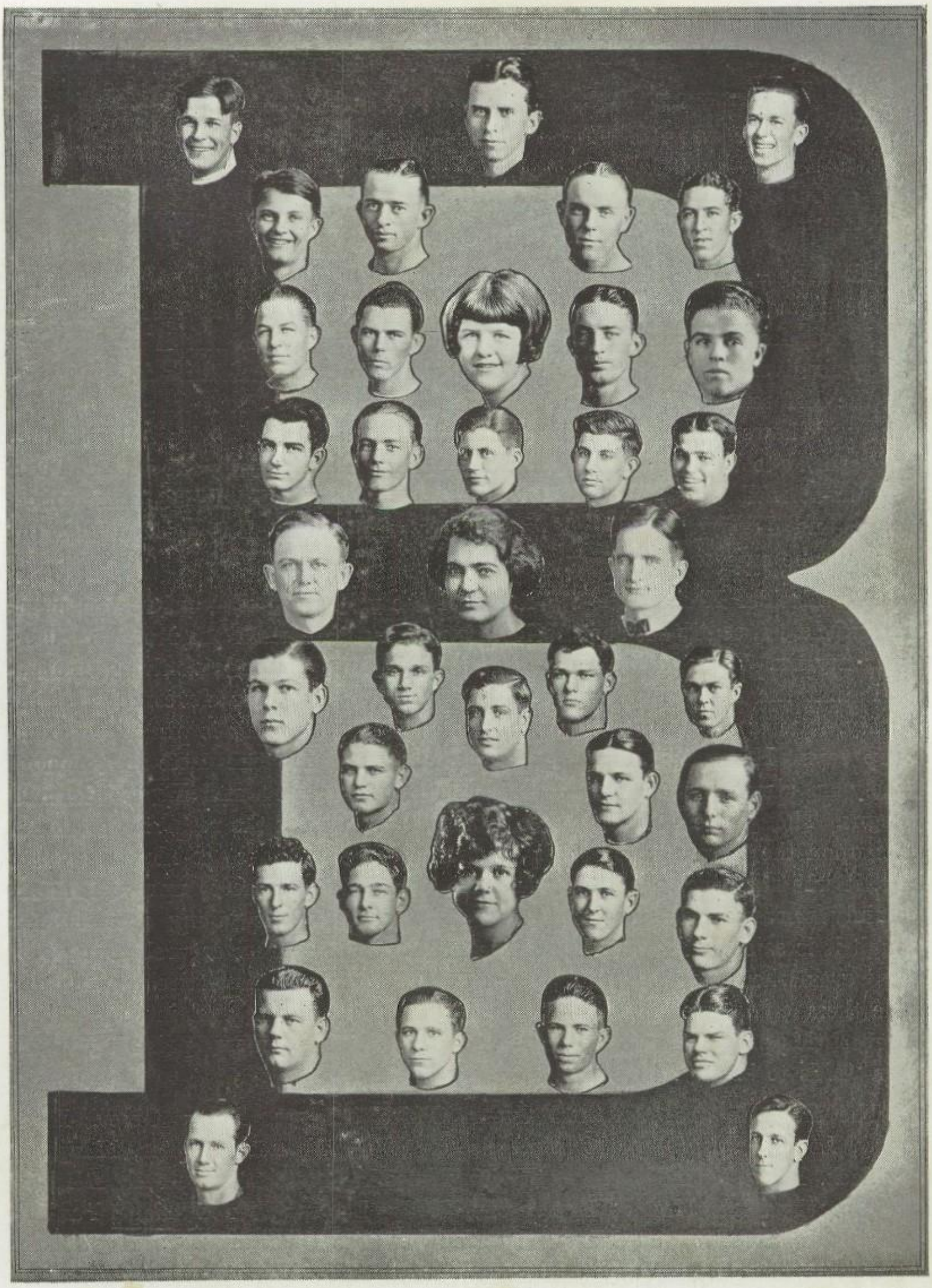
SMYTH WALDEN.....*President*
H. A. MCDONALD, JR.....*Vice-President*
LIL MARTIN.....*Secretary*
SAM BALLIEW.....*Treasurer*

"A coveted honor."

Membership in the "B" Association may mean little to an outsider, but to most of the students of High School it is an honor indeed. This privilege can come to only a limited few, but how they do appreciate this glory! There is a peculiar sensation that comes to a youngster when he wears his first red-top boots; it is hard to describe the thrill that his first long trousers give him, but never does a boy feel quite so important as when he puts on his first "B" and "struts his stuff." He hates to be separated from that "B" sweater a minute —really he would love to sleep in it the first night if he could keep others from knowing about it; but after he has worn the newness off, he receives another thrill when he gives it to his best girl.

For several years it has been the custom of the association to have a picnic on Village Creek sometime in May. At this time officers for the coming year are usually elected, and new members are initiated. This serves as a reunion for alumni members who always make it their business to attend. The Kangaroo Court, solely in the hands of Seniors, proves to be a terror to the slimes—woe be it unto the slime who brings up a charge against a Senior!

The purpose of this association is to promote good sportsmanship in all branches of athletics, and to establish a closer bond of friendship among the wearers of the "B".



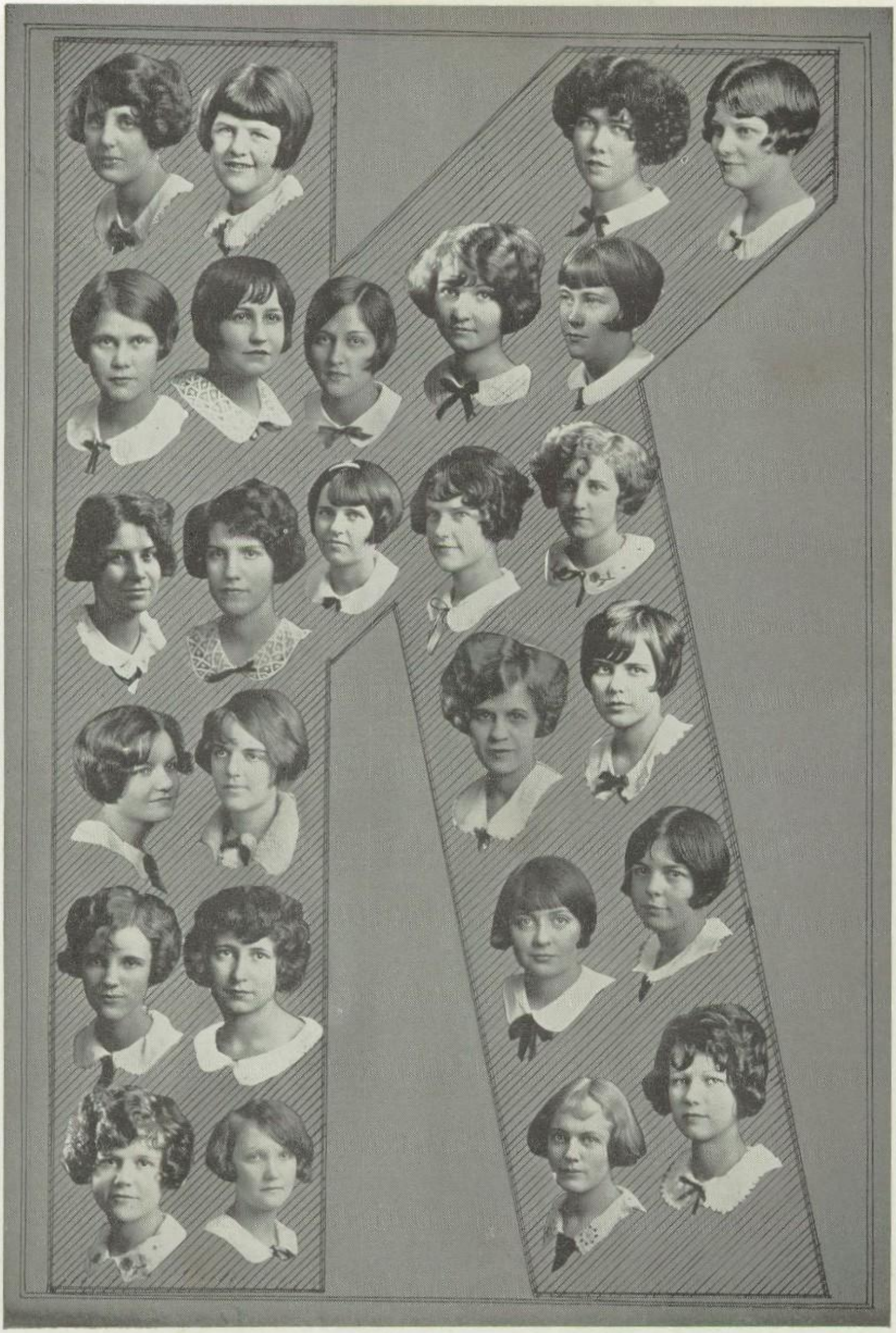
KACKLER KLUB

CYNTHEAL GREER.....*President*
CLAIRE HODGES.....*Secretary*
MISS MCCULLOH.....*Adviser*

"Your pep, your pep, you've got it, now keep it,
be sure you don't lose it."

No danger of the Kacklers losing their pep, because when it comes to that, they're right there with the goods. They evidently believe in being both seen and heard, for who doesn't know about the Kackler Klub? It is made up of twenty-six lively girls who make it their business to boost athletics and to entertain the different teams. These entertainments are always kept carefully "within hours," however, for the club realizes that both training and social activities are essential to these athletes and one needs not conflict with the other. These afore mentioned entertainments take various forms from wining (sans wine), dining, and dancing to picnicking, and everything else that comes under the head of sane enjoyment.

The Kackler Klub at the beginning of the year numbered only seven members, so these speedily set about selecting new material until the roster numbered twenty-six. These pledges were initiated in two groups, and though rumor has it that the first initiation could hardly be equalled for eleverness and ingenuity, reports going around seem to belie this; at least this is what the second group says. However, all the initiates seemed to have one taste in common, namely an almost insane love of Nelson's Hair Dressing and Hoyt's German Cologne. Though we can hardly recommend the effect of the resulting combinations upon the "crowning glory" of some 19 of our fairest co-eds, to say the least, it was startling. The initiation also brought out hitherto unrevealed and certainly unsuspected beauties (?) in the faces of these young damsels, for though it is said that love is blind, the scales dropped from several young gallants' eyes when they saw the visages of the afore said 19 entirely as nature made them, unadorned by cosmetics of any sort. Let it be said in their favor, however, this proved they're entirely independent of powders, paints, and all other "aids to beauty."

The members are: Cyntheal Greer, Claire Hodges, Betty Greer, Ruth Young, Louella Ward, Lil Martin, Eleanor Wier, Frances Hunter, Margaret Craddock, Mary Kennedy, Mary Kirby, Mary Mann, Dorothy Fecel, Dorothy Fite, Dorothy Seale, Katrina Hawthorne, Gladys Dewer, Wier Aldridge, Pauline Dollinger, Marie Rideout, Rhoene Funchess, Eloise Chaison, Dora Hightower, Margaret Michael, Di Vernon McFaddin, and Alice Woodhead.

BOOSTERS

ALICE WOODHEAD.....*Chief Booster*
PAULINE DOLLINGER.....*Assistant Chief Booster*
RHOENE FUNCHESS.....*Secretary*
DOROTHY FECEL.....*Assistant Secretary*
LILLIAN ANDERSON.....*Treasurer*
MISS MCCULLOH.....*Adviser*

"Ever Loyal to the Purple."

This is the second year the Boosters have been in existence and although it was originally intended to limit the membership to one hundred, it was found that this would hardly cover one half of the number of those who wished to join; so this year, the members number about two hundred and twenty-five.

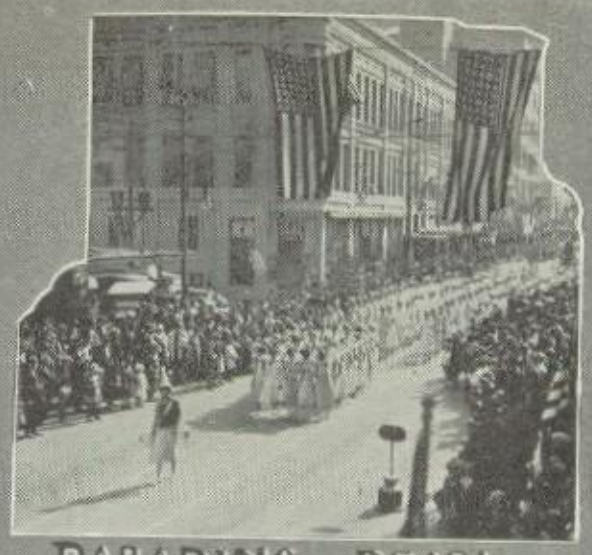
The purpose of the Boosters is summed up in their motto "Ever Loyal to the Purple." These girls constitute the greater part of the school's rooting section, and their enthusiasm and support is not all confined to just the games, for many a Saturday morning has found them up bright and early to practice the formation of the immortal "B". No football game was complete without the parade of the white-clad Boosters between halves. Though the object of this march was always the same, namely to form the gigantic human "B" on the field, each time some innovation or variation was introduced. Once, a purple and white "B" was made of confetti, and again a drill with the purple and white handkerchiefs was carried out; however, the "B" always remained the same.

But that their support is not limited to athletics is proved when one remembers their participation in the parade held on Educational Day of the fair. Their entry consisted of a walking division over two hundred strong, headed by the club officers and a group of girls carrying on their shoulders a huge wooden "B" covered with purple balloons. This group, accompanied by the band and Skippers, won first place in the walking division.

The Boosters have also shown themselves to be something other than a rooting organization. The football season was well advertised by the football-boy stickers gotten out by the club. When Coach wanted to put "The Royal Purple" over with a bang, whom did he call upon to help him? Why the Boosters, of course. And they proved their loyalty by selling $800 worth of tickets. It was even rumored that certain members of the club leaned towards soda jerking as a profession. At any rate, they gained a great deal of useful knowledge, along this line, serving at Thames on March 20, not to mention twenty-two dollars for the "On to Chi" fund. LONG LIVE THE BOOSTERS!

BOOSTERS

MISS WOODHEAD



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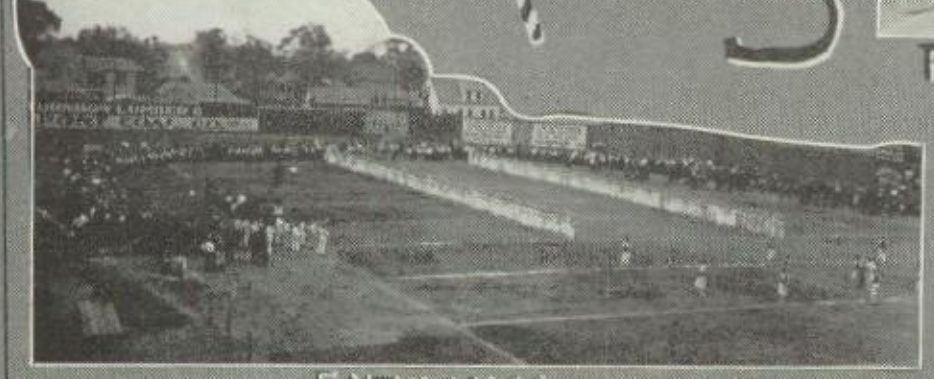

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MISS DOLLINGER

MISS FUNCHESS

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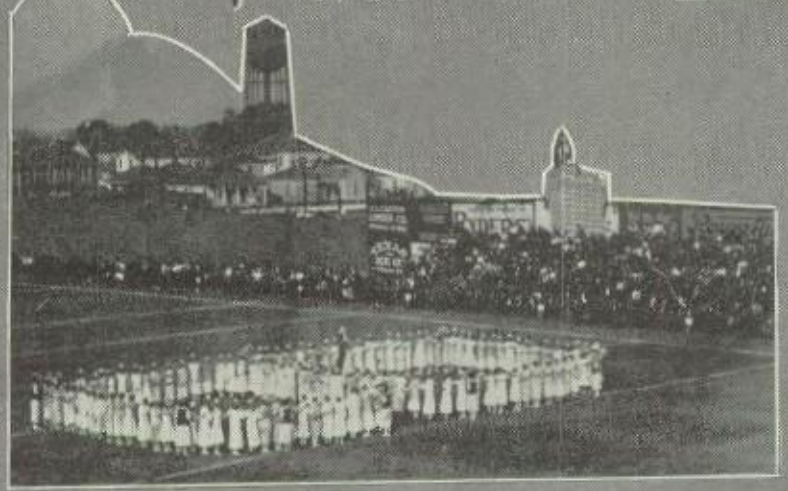

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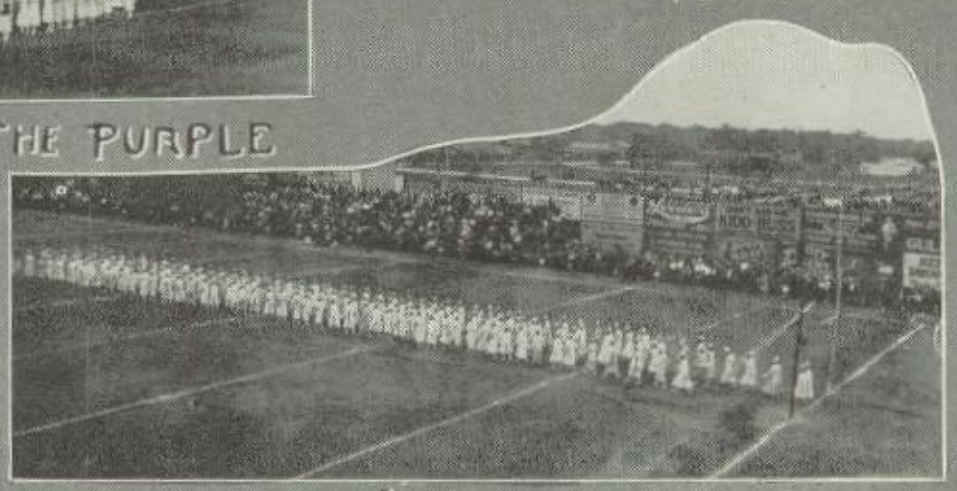

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"News, the manna of the day."

The Purple Pennant—a name new and untried but a few months ago—now is a proven asset to Beaumont High School. At the beginning of the year, it was decided that the name "High School News" was too prosaic; so a contest was held, and this new name selected. Then a new type of paper, totally different from anything seen before in B. H. S. was adopted; where previously the publication had appeared as a monthly magazine, this year it took the form of a paper, appearing bi-monthly. The staff, under the leadership of Eleanor Wier, has worked hard this year and their efforts have resulted in a good paper; the articles have all been snappy, the jokes clever, and the editorials to the point. The finances of the publication were capably handled by J. T. Barrow. B. H. S. owes its most profound thanks to Mrs. Horn, the faculty adviser, as she has proved a tireless worker in the interest of the Pennant. Individual editions have been directed by Mrs. Francis, Miss Holmes, Miss Berly, Miss Lowndes, Miss Turner, Mrs. Gough, and Mrs. Horn. The staff wishes to take this means of thanking them for their advice and assistance. The Purple Pennant has striven to set a new hi-water mark for a High School Paper this year, and hopes that it has been done.

THE PURPLE PENNANT

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THE PINE BURR

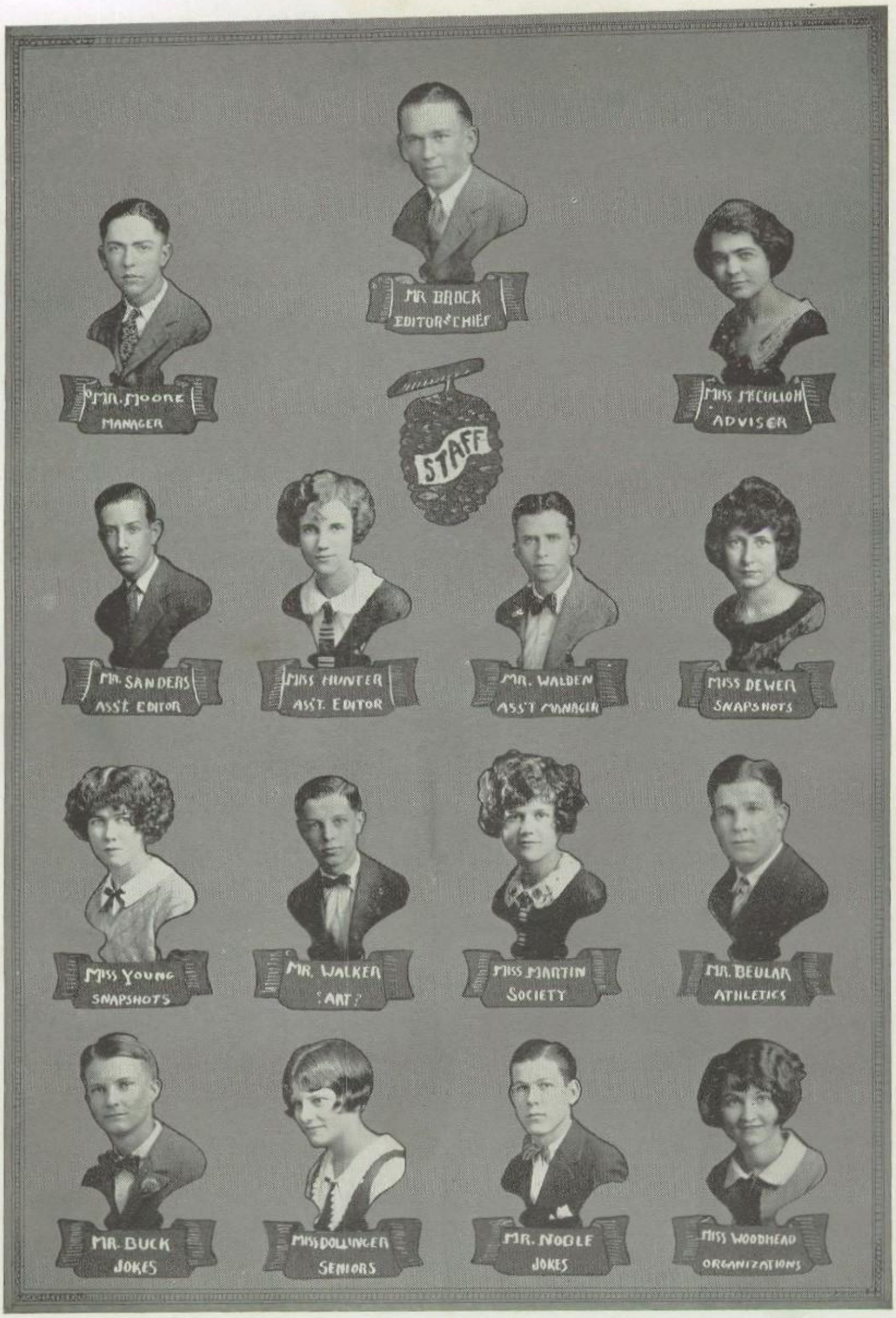
"Every man's work shall be made manifest."

This quotation applies particularly to the Pine Burr Staff, for the work to which they have devoted their time and energy all year is manifested in the 1925 Pine Burr. To the onlooker, perhaps the task of organizing and producing a school annual does not seem very difficult, but should such a task someday fall to his lot, he would soon be disillusioned. At the first meeting of the staff, the various editors were elated over the honors which had been conferred upon them, and were eager to begin; at the second meeting, their elation had diminished in proportion as they realized the responsibilities attached to their position; at the third meeting, every illusion had vanished, but determination had come instead.

At the first of the year, the staff was handicapped by not having a room of its own, but "necessity is the mother of invention," and one brilliant worker conceived the idea of moving the bank cage from 304 to 303, and lo! there was a staff room worthy of the most discriminating. However, our business manager, on whose hands time seemed to hang heavily, deplored the lack of plant life in this haven and transplanted (?) a palm into its sacred interior. Fearing that someone might molest this most treasured possession, he erected a stronghold about it, capping the climax and the palm with a bold sign commanding "Hands Off!" Then the art editor, not to be outdone, decided to utilize his knowledge of interior decoration by adorning the walls with headlines chosen at random (?) from the leading periodicals. Where one caption failed to express his idea, two or even three were combined, and to say the least the results were startling.

Money to defray the expenses of the Annual was obtained from various sources. The yearly Majestic was staged and proved a great success. In addition to this, other benefit performances were given, included among which were the Swiss Bell Ringers. The business men of Beaumont again gave loyal support and backing which has characterized them whenever called upon to help B. H. S. in any undertaking, by placing generous ads in the book.

Every member of the staff has tried, in language of Mr. "Mac", to cooperate with the editor and adviser in every way. Although mistakes occurred, which will happen, even in the best regulated organizations, the Pine Burr Staff of '25 hopes that it has produced a book which will not only beat the one of '24, but which is worthy of the Class of '25.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ORGANIZATIONS

BOY SCOUTS

"Be prepared."

During the past year, the scouting movement, under its efficient leader, J. Rucker Newberry, has proven itself to be one of the most important and active boy organizations in Beaumont. Besides being trained to meet the ordinary problems of life in a more than ordinary way, the Scouts are taught to help others.

In the past twelve months the Scouts have participated in many activities which have been of benefit to the city at large. Such problems as keeping down the traffic during parades, etc. are always left to the scouts.

All the Boy Scouts of this city look forward to the summer camp which is held annually on Beech Creek. Every year, from 125 to 150 Scouts attend this Camp, where they are taught to take care of themselves in the open. Other programs of interest to the boys are the "Know Your City" treasure hunt, the scout rallies, hikes, round ups, field days, camps and various meetings.

SOCIETY

SPONSOR AND MAIDS START SEASON OFF RIGHT

The Sponsor and Maids ushered in the Football social season with a delightful dance at the home of Eleanor Wier, on Saturday night, September 20, honoring their Team and the visiting Team from Shreveport. We were all in our peppiest mood, having just won our first game of the season, and as our visitors were not the least bit resentful over their loss, we all had a grand time.

MOTHERS HONOR FOOTBALL BOYS

A group of mothers of the students of the Beaumont High School sponsored a dance given Saturday evening at nine o'clock at the Elks Club honoring the football boys of Beaumont and Marshall. The Southern Ramblers' Orchestra furnished the music, and every one had a wonderful time. The sponsors for the affair were Mesdames Guy Reed, C. A. Richardson, J. N. Sawyer, L. A. Watson, George Weller, C. L. Rutt, O. S. Hodges, L. J. Dimmitt. "Rah! for the mothers."

THE SLIMY SIX

The Slimy Six, a club composed of six boys and girls entertained delightfully on September 27, with a dance at Velma Richardson's home. The house was decorated in green and white. The Purple squad and the Lake Charles boys were their guests. This first social affair of the Slimy Six proved to be a delightful one.

KACKLER DANCES

October the eighteenth was the date of the first Kackler dance of the season, with which the club entertained Our Boys and the Galveston Team at the home of Claire Hodges. Music was furnished by David Audibert, saxophone, and Allie Mae Huitt, piano. The dancing began at seven-thirty as the Galveston train was supposed to leave at nine, but the train was held over until eleven, so the dance lasted until the usual hour. This marked the beginning of the Kackler dances to be enjoyed throughout the year.

"Were you among those present at the Kackler German?" "No." "Well you missed the time of your life." Football Boys of all descriptions and their dates assembled at the Elks Club rooms to enjoy the dance given in their honor. Hotel Beaumont Orchestra furnished the music and punch was served throughout the morning. All pronounced it the grandest German they had ever attended—even Mr. Hackney and Coach danced.

The Kacklers had another of their famous dances in honor of the Girls' and Boys' Basketball Teams. Several of the Basketball Boys could not come since they had gone to A. and M. to the Older Boys' Conference. Mrs. Mook's orchestra furnished the music and everyone had a wonderful time. The most exciting incident of the dance was the taking of a picture of the crowd. There was a wild scramble for places on the front row and, of course, "Tutter" got there. We sometimes wonder if everything (?) was perfectly proper when we look at the picture below.

ANNUAL FOOTBALL BANQUET

Beaumont High School's glorious 1924 Football Season was officially brought to a close with a huge banquet, given in the main dining room of Hotel Beaumont. It was tendered the Team by their parents and supporters, at which time enough tribute and enthusiasm was shown to prove conclusively that our boys had not labored in vain. Max Morrison of the Y. M. C. A. staff, acting as toastmaster, ran his after dinner speakers through a snappy program. Interesting talks were made by all who were on the program. Each individual of the squad was given a framed picture of himself by Mr. C. L. Hackney. Judge Tally and R. A. Jones, two enthusiastic fans, gave the players group pictures of the Team printed in purple. Mr. Gough of the Magnolia Refinery presented the Team with copies of the "Magpetco," in which a wonderful tribute had been printed regarding them. "Spike" Cooper, in a unique way, had "extras" printed of the predicted Waco game of 1925. They were brought in by little newsboys and each guest was presented with one. Miss Jennie, following her annual custom, gave various characteristic souvenirs, together with bits of personal comment regarding the players, which created lots of fun and merriment. Coach awarded letters to 20 players, and Sam Balliew, our outstanding back of this season, was elected captain for 1925. Coach closed the program with a glorious picture of the future home of Beaumont High School athletics, a new gymnasium which is now well under way.

STORY OF BEAUMONT VICTORY

Max M. Morrison.....Referee
J. V. McCulloh.....Umpire

Long before time for the game to begin, the spectators began to assemble and the Beaumont rooters to sing EVER LOYAL TO THE PURPLE. On every side there were heard PRAISES (E. C. McDanald) for such an ideal football day.

FIRST QUARTER

The shrill whistle of the REFEREE (Max M. Morrison) blew heralding the first kick-off. The captain of the Beaumont Team, playing a game that was his FAREWELL TO THE PURPLE TEAM AND SUPPORTERS (Captain Ed Beular) brought the ball far back up the field. By a series of plays the Purple Team advanced the ball within the shadow of their opponents' goal.

SECOND QUARTER

THE PULSE OF THE PURPLE FANS ("Spike" Cooper) beat fast as the Beaumont half plunged across for a touchdown. As AN APPRECIATION (Dick Plummer) for his brilliant playing, the stands cheered him loudly. The Purple Team played the game clean, showing that FOOTBALL IN THE MAKING OF A MAN (Line Coach Ted Winn) has an important place in character building.

INTERMISSION

Following THE SPONSOR OF A WINNING TEAM (Lil Martin) and her maids on the field, the Beaumont Boosters performed many clever stunts, closing by giving several YELLS (Smyth Walden) for the Royal Purple.

THIRD QUARTER

After the wearers of the Purple had crashed across for three more touchdowns, the coach called TO THE SECOND TEAM (Holly Brock) to take the field. "We will show you WHAT YOU MAY EXPECT OF US NEXT SEASON ('Pancho' Plummer) when we get in there," one of them told the coach. One more touchdown was added.

FOURTH QUARTER

Fighting with their backs to the wall the opponents of the Purple opened up with THE AERIAL GAME ("Magnolene Mike" Newton) but it was stopped by the Purple warriors. While their opponents were HUNTING FOR THE BALL ("Huck" Hightower) on a hidden ball trick, the Beaumont right end went for a touchdown. As the final whistle blew THE PAST AND THE FUTURE (Coach Lilburn Dimmitt) of Beaumont Football shook hands.

BASKETBALL BUFFET SUPPER

Did somebody say "eat"? That's just what the Purple Basketball squad did at the home of their sponsor, Miss Claire Hodges, on April 25, 1925, at 7:00 p. m. The guests were the basketball boys and their dates, Miss Jennie Vic McCulloh, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McDanald and Coach and Mrs. Dimmitt.

The tables were decorated in school colors, and on the center table were little stations representing the teams B. H. S. defeated. A small electric train ran between the stations. Tiny dolls dressed as basketball boys were favors for the boys while dolls in "B" sweaters and white skirts were given to the girls.

Coach Dimmitt was master of ceremonies and talks were made by Captain Holly Brock, Miss Claire Hodges, Miss Jennie Vic McCulloh, Mr. McDonald, and the captain-elect, "Hookey" Irwin.

After the dinner, the basketball maids entertained with a dance in honor of the Team. Punch was served throughout the evening. About fifty couples enjoyed the dancing.

KACKLER CHILI SUPPER

On March 15, at the home of Misses Betty and Cyntheal Greer, the Kacklers entertained the Basketball Boys with a delightful chili supper. The club colors of black and gold together with the school colors, purple and white, were used in decorating and the unique place cards of little chickens carried out the idea of the Kacklers. Buck was the entertainer of the evening with his Chicago tricks. The boys all declared the chili the best they had ever tasted and expressed many thanks to the Kacklers.

THE JUNIOR MUSIC STUDY CLUB BRIDGE PARTY

The Junior Music Study Club entertained with a benefit bridge, sponsored by Mrs. Bettis, at the home of Miss Eleanor Wier on March 1. Refreshments were served to forty tables. Mrs. Garry Brande was the successful winner of the grand prize, a blue bowl filled with pink flowers. There were individual prizes for each table. This being the first benefit bridge party of the season, it proved quite a success.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR NEW ORLEANS AND BEAUMONT SQUADS

Lil Martin's dance for the New Orleans boys and her ever beloved Team on October 11, was one of the best dances given this year. The music was most unique. There were two victrolas, one in each of the two rooms, going at the same time and each playing a different tune. If you don't think the punch was good just ask "Pancho"—he knows all about it. The features of the evening were "jigs" by Eleanor Wier and Margaret Craddock. The New Orleans boys had a better time than anybody, and were very grateful to the Purple sponsor.

PINE BURR STAFF GIVES BANQUET TO WINNERS OF ANNUAL SELLING CONTEST

As I was appointd as a committee of one to scribble a few lines concerning the banquet given to us by the "Pine Burr Staff" of. B. H. S I will now start, to begin to commence to get ready to explain how we won the banquet, and what we did at the banquet. "As I was saying."

The only way that I can see that we won this annual selling contest is that we had one of the most important boys in B. H. S. soliciting for us. Every one knows him, because there is always a "call for Ben Angelo." Ben sold so many annuals that he used both sides of the receipt book that I gave him.

At first I thought that we would have to postpone the banquet because Nobles, Watson, and Ficken lost their Tux'es. Beular, Brock, Moore and myself wore a full dress. There was very little excitement at the banquet, as a dead crowd was present. Noble's would not give his hat to the waiter until he promised to give it back to him. Watson pulled out his cacklers and all the waiters dropped their trays because they thought it was big money in the crowd. Beular thought our table was set for about a dozen or two because there were four or five spoons, knives and forks at each place. Ficken cut his lip trying to get ten peas from his knife into his mouth successfully.

Laying all this lingo aside, I, as the captain of the winning team, wish to express our appreciation in every respect for the kindness of the annual staff. It was very little trouble to us to win this contest and we hope that we boosted the subscriptions to the total number of four hundred—Purple Pennant.

JUNIOR JOYS INITIATION

On Friday night, May 8, eleven girls were huddled in a car waiting to go through the ordeal of being initiated by twelve others. The poor victims were rushed out to Treadway's canal where the torture began. The details need not be given here but they were thorough members of the club when the hectic initiation was finished. Afterwards, to revive the squelched spirits of the poor "now-initiated" and to remind them that there was a silver lining, the former members supplied a feast. The Junior Joys of '26 are: Margaret Pittman, Adelaide and Elizabeth Reed, Mary Edson, Mary Pace, Anne Hargrove, Seawillow Pipkin, Maybelle Martin, Grace Walker, Elizabeth Lee Minter, and Jerome Cartwright, a charter member.

JUNIOR JOYS LUNCHEON

At one o'clock, on Saturday, May 9, the Junior Joys celebrated the initiation of eleven new members with an attractive luncheon at Hotel Beaumont. The private dining room was beautifully decorated with sweet peas, larkspur, and roses, making a pleasing contrast with the blue and gold of the upholstering. Almost any party could be successful with twelve hostesses and that of the Junior Joys was lovely. Mrs. Irving Bettis, the newly elected councilor, lent dignity to the occasion.

SOCIETY IN B. H. S.

The social life of Beaumont High was not limited to outside affairs. 1924-1925 has been one of the most active social seasons High School has ever known. Some of our "fair maidens" had seven dates a day—before school, between periods and after school. We have heard that Raymond Alford had even more than this, on several occasions. Some unfortunate (?) girls had to roam around by themselves between periods, but they managed to struggle along somehow. Some of the teachers have been heard to remark that B. H. S. is the "most love-sick place on earth."

"Nobles" and his partners made quite a reputation for themselves with their weekly "50c dances."

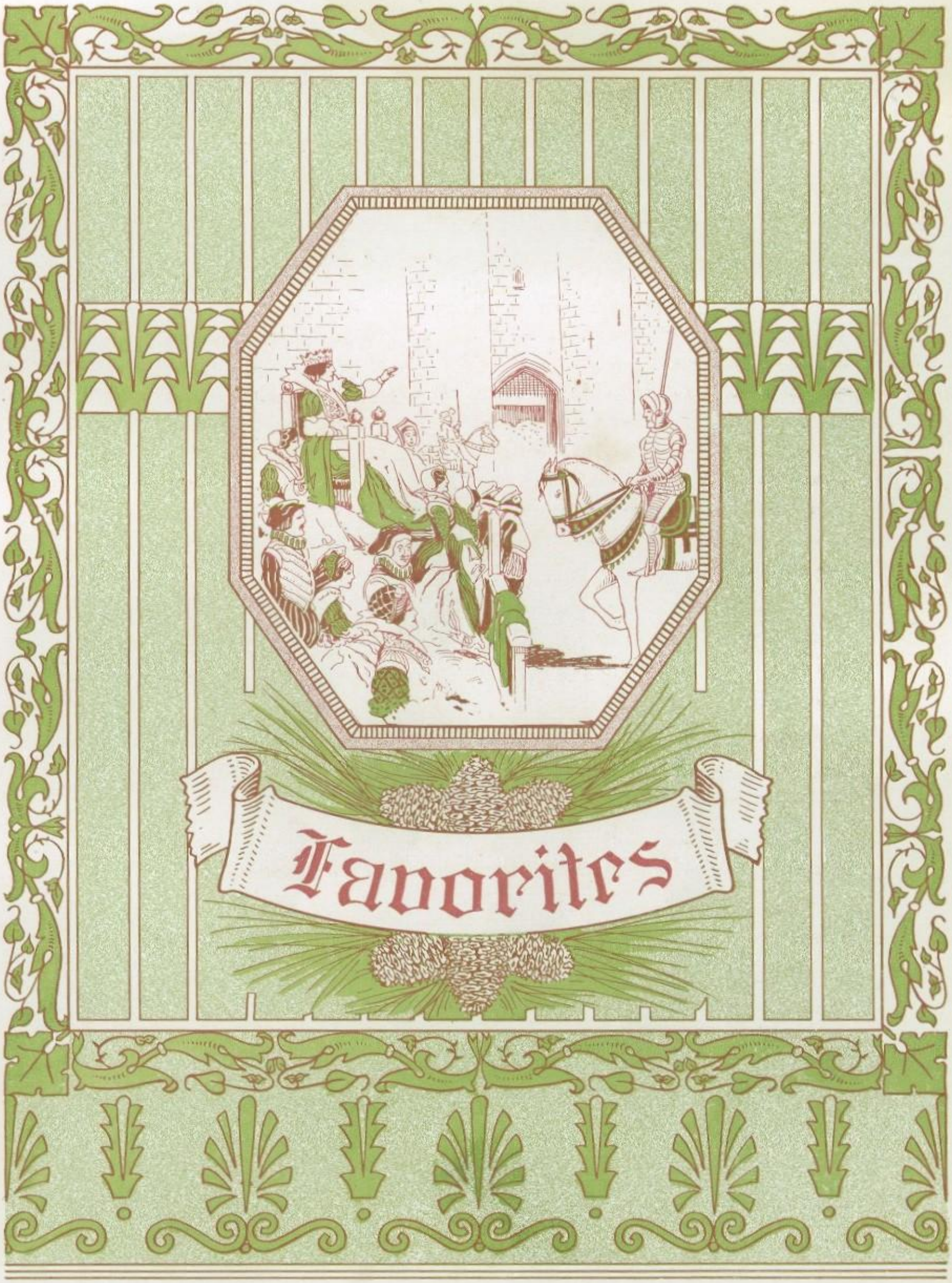
The "Pine Burr" dances were features of the season and were extremely popular.

The sponsors of the football and basketball teams entertained for their own visiting teams and endeared themselves to the members of both teams.

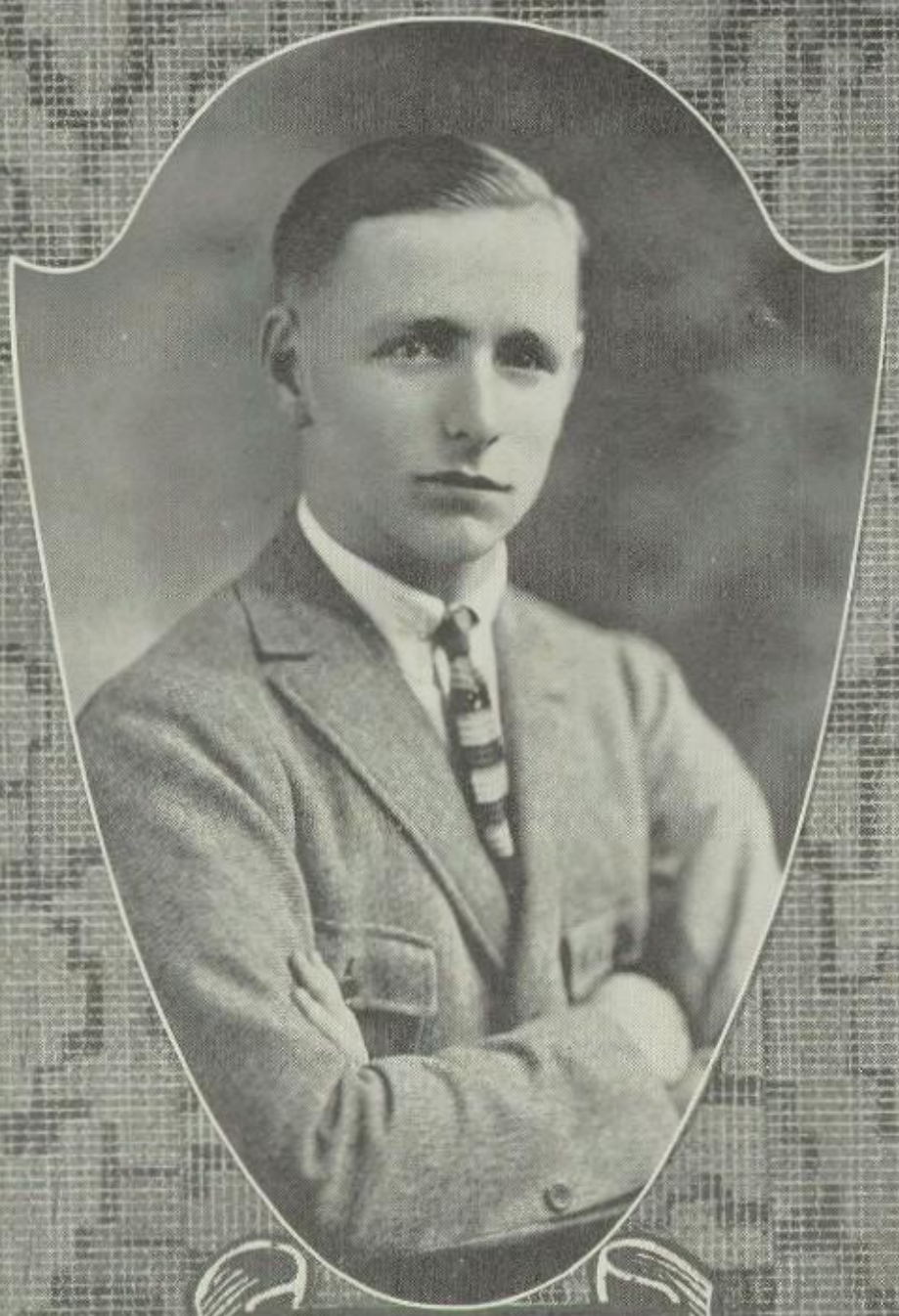
The Kacklers, following their usual custom, had many dances and other entertainments for the different teams.

The Junior Joys, a newly organized club, proved to be one of the most active social organizations.

Despite our many outside activities, however, we have endeavored (and have succeeded very well) not to let these interfere with our school work.


Favorites

Mr. Franklin Noble
SENIOR FAVORITE



Mr. Lanos Watson
SENIOR FAVORITE

Miss Pauline Dollinger
SENIOR FAVORITE

Mr. Ed Beular

MOST POPULAR BOY

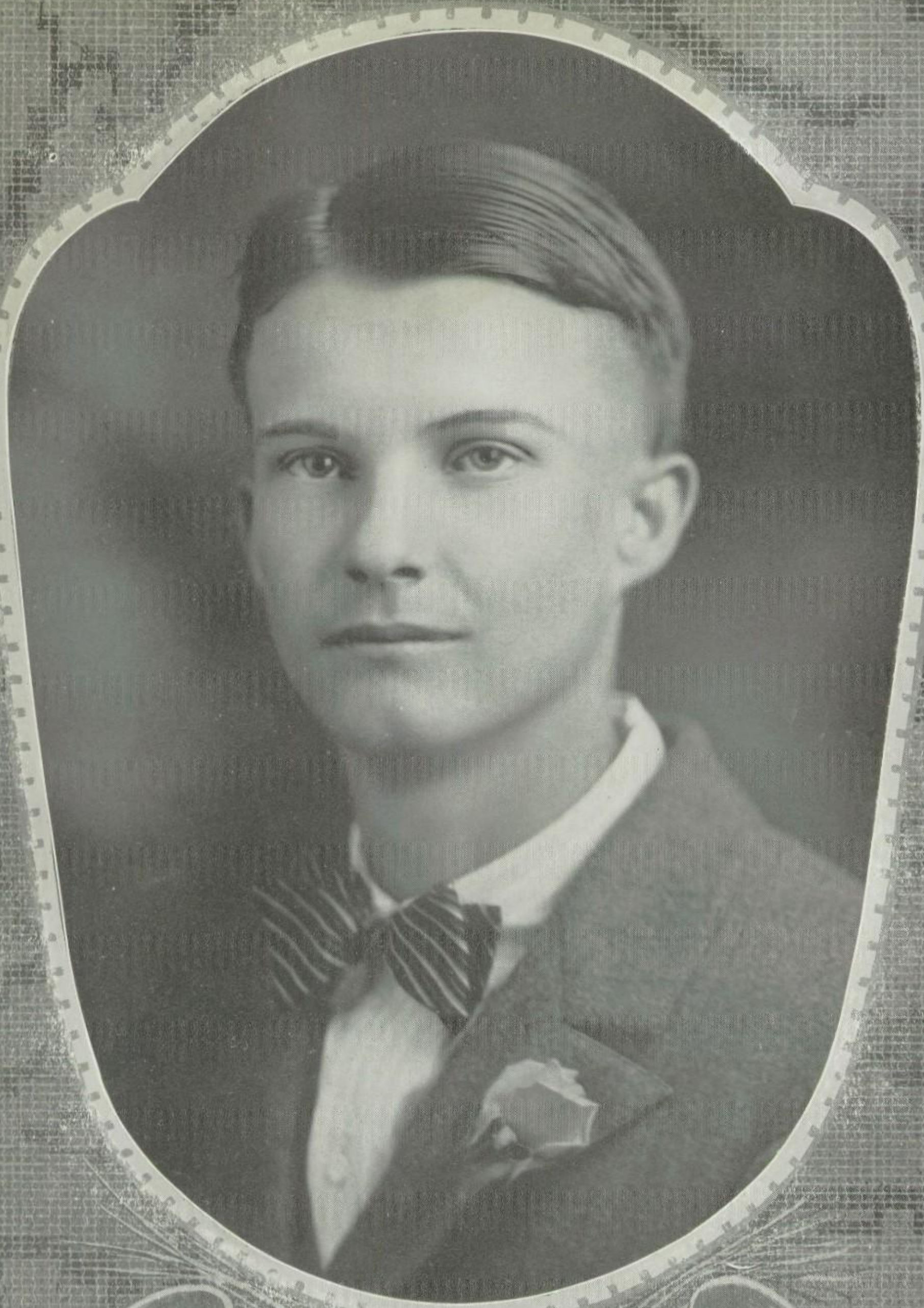
Miss Louella Ward

MOST POPULAR GIRL

Mr. Holly Brock

BEST ALL-AROUND BOY

Miss Alice Woodhead
PRETTIEST GIRL

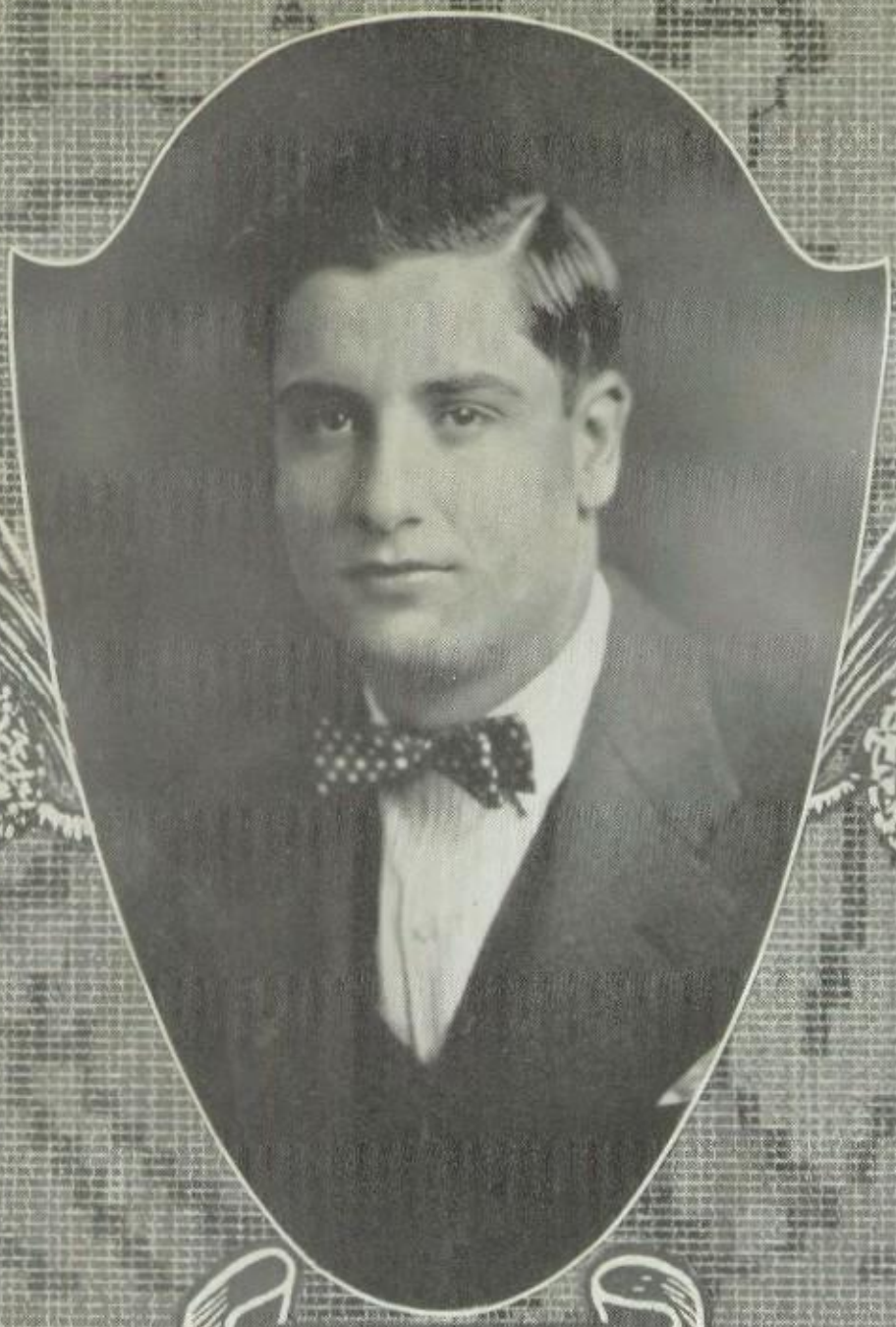


Mr. Allan Buck

WITTIEST BOY

Miss Rhoene Funchess

CUTEST GIRL



Mr. Sam Balliew
JUNIOR FAVORITE

Miss Betty Greer
JUNIOR FAVORITE

Miss Doris Jatum
JUNIOR FAVORITE

Humor

"ON TO CHI"

Coach—"Come on men we will go eat lunch."

Buck—"I aint hungry but I will eat just for politeness."

Cocah—"Don't be so darn polite."

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A 16-GAUGE

"How come Maudie lost her swell job?"

"Oh, she got to imitating a revolver."

"What do you mean?"

"Why, she loaded her face with powder, and cocked her eye at all the boys, so Scott fired her."

EVERYBODY THERE FELL FOR "DAPPER" DAN.
TICK TICK TICK
$100
"HOOKEY" AND RAYMOND TOOK A TAXI RIDE IN NEW ORLEANS.
ON TO CHI.
SOAP
"DILLY" ABOUT TO EAT A CAKE OF SOAP.
J. WALKER
WHAT HAPPENED WHEN THE BLACK BELL-HOP FIRST SAW BROCK AND HIS TEAM

A LOPSIDED VICTORY

Special to the Jumbler.

OSWALD JUNCTION, Del., Septober, 37—With an imperfect tee off in the second set, Bangumup, star full back of the local checker team delapidated the Oscar Junction crew here today as he dribbled the pigskin 90 yards and won the hand as he singled over the two base fence for a home run before the game started and lost the game when Applesauce of the other club threw a perfect seven before he could get his jack of spades laid for the first mell. Gashouseki made a perfect dropkick which drew the other polo players off the court but lost 15 points when Notacenthavei dominoed unexpectedly. Tutyred put the shot well but the rifle range was imperfect so he couldn't swim well enough to lap the big Reo cutaway until Keelumover knocked him out with a toe hold as the final whistle blew.

Seventeen people were expected but due to there being a grand opening of the Makerbroke shoestring store no one was able to attend. We are sure everyone is anxious to know the outcome of the game which is tabulated above. It was the best dance of the season.—Goofey Giggleton, Correspondent.

CALENDAR

Sept. 15. "Pancho" and Ruth arrive at school together.

Sept. 29. First cold weather. Kacklers made it "hot" for their candidates.

Oct. 1. "Nobles" appears in new suit—halls of B. H. S. cleaner than usual.

Oct. 2. Kacklers hold final initiation. Absence of pillows from candidates' homes noted by mothers.

Oct. 13. Mr. Mac. makes speech. Numerous hats re-appear.

Oct. 16. Skippers hold first meeting. Lois Patillo joins dancing club.

Oct. 20. 8:30 a. m., "Sonny" Watson gets new crush.
12:30 p. m., "Sonny" Watson loses new crush.

Oct. 21. Business manager of "Pine Burr" makes touching appeal for funds.

Oct. 23. Boosters and Skippers declare war. "Beat the women!" Skippers' war cry.

Oct. 24. South Park Football Team swamped. 15 for Abie and Bert.

Oct. 27. Harry Boone gets shave.

Oct. 28. "Pancho" and Ruth spend the entire day without breaking up.

Nov. 4. Mr. Mac. returns from Austin. Decided for Port Arthur game to be here.

Nov. 5. Kackler initiation.

Nov. 6. 13 beautiful (?) girls come to school.

Nov. 9. Mark collects for "Pine Burr."

Nov. 10. Mark appears in new suit.

Nov. 11. B. H. S. defeats Port Arthur—only five fights reported.

Nov. 13. Quarterly exams—quarterly failures—quarterly commands for no more dates.

Nov. 17. B. H. S. beats Central—hysterics in the grandstand. Boone "coo-coo" on the side lines.

Nov. 18. Philip Rosenthal gets haircut.

Nov. 20. Holly makes speech to annual staff. Snap shot department shows improvement.

Nov. 21. Majestic box party for Football Boys.

Nov. 22. Girls develop cricks in their necks.

Jan. 1. Basketball Sponsor elected. Wild shrieks from room 303.

Jan. 3. First Basketball game. Members of Team show rare form.

Jan. 11. Dance for Basketball Team at Sponsor's home. Second Team Sponsor rushes "Donkey."

Jan. 13. Debating Club has picture taken in library. Wild excitement in halls.

Jan. 14. Paul Anger gets to school before 8:20.

CALENDAR

Feb. 1. Charlotte Miles arrives and plays havoc with the male section of the High School.

Feb. 6. Kacklers have dance for Basketball Team.

Feb. 8. Most popular, best all-round and wittiest boys elected. Several males appear downhearted.

Feb. 10. Beaumont High annexes District Basketball Championship.

Feb. 12. South Park College Bathing Girl Review—account on "view."

Feb. 13. Engraver pays visit to annual staff. Girls show unusual willingness to wrok on "Pine Burr."

Feb. 20. North End Junior High Style Show.

Feb. 27. B. H. S. Basketball Team beats Central. "Bubba" Stahl gets his lip cut. Claire Hodges appears with blood on her cheek.

Feb. 28. 3:00—"Tutter" and "Piney" break up.
4:00—"Tutter" and "Piney" make up.

March 3. Waco picture show. Ruth Hooks decides she would make a good movie actress.

March 4. Basketball Boys leave for Austin. President of U. S. inaugurated.

March 7. Basketball Team wins State Championship. Captain Brock has hat enlarged.

March 8. 10:00—Sweaters awarded to "B" men.
10:30—"Baby" Seale appears in a "B" sweater.

March 19. "Royal Purple" shows at Kyle. H. A. decides to join the "Follies."

March 24. 8:20—Senior meeting, vote taken.
10:00—Senior meeting, vote declared null.

March 26. Basketball Team leaves for Chicago. "Hookey" starts using "Stillman's Freckle Cream."

March 30. Ed Beular passes an exam. Letters and cards from "Chi". Gladys Dewer receives two specials.

March 31. More "Chi" postcards.

April 3. South Park College Co-eds visit B. H. S. Dick Plummer excused from school—sick.

April 6. Basketball Boys home again. Everybody happy.

April 25. Most of the "Pine Burr" goes to press.

May 8. Kackler picnic—boys stayed home.

May 11. "Mid-Summer Night's Dream," at Wiess Park. Franklin stars as Grace takes his part.

May 14. Senior Class Day Election. Much politics and warm weather.

May 15. "Pine Burr" Majestic—all star cast.

GIVE ER-AIR
HERES SOME WATER
GET AN AMBULANCE
OH! SHE IS DEAD
FIRE
SONNY DUPERIER JUST ARRIVING
HOLLY AND ED TRYING TO DECIDE WHOSE GONNA PICK HER UP
JAW
WHEN "LIL" MARTIN PASSED OUT DURING FOOT BALL PRACTICE.

NEVER—

—Strike a man when he's down. You can't tell how big he'll be when he gets up.

—Make love in a buggy. Even horses carry tales.

—Bite your finger nails. Remember what happened to Venus.

—Serenade your girl. You can't tell what her father may not need around the house.

A JOHN SPECIAL

John W.—"How many kinds of milk are there?"

Ruth—"Why, there's condensed milk, and evaporated milk, and—but why do you ask?"

John—"Well, I was drawing a picture of a cow, and I wanted to know how many faucets to put on her."

GRIT?

Mary—"I thought you were going to kiss me when you puckered up your lips just now."

Raymond—"No-er-it was only a piece of grit in my mouth."

Mary—"Then for goodness sake, swallow it—you need it."

SENIOR FREAKS

Vamp

Craziest

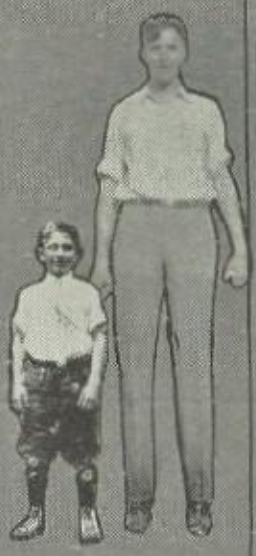
THE Freak

Ladies Man

Wart

Before and After

Snap Shotest


The Short + Long of it

Best Known

The Mule

Class Babies

Three Guesses

Most Handsome

OH YES

A city and a chorus girl
Are much alike 't's true
A city's built with outskirts
A chorus girl is too.

WOMEN

Men bring her flowers,
Her father buys her clothes,
God gave her a figure,
The drug store gives her a complexion,
She gets her line from a borrowed page,
A lot of people give her a pain,
And yet some people say
The Woman Pays

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BUCK AND NOBLE COMMENTS

Let us all now rise and sing our latest song hit, "Mister Judge, please forget your grammar, and leave the period off my sentence."

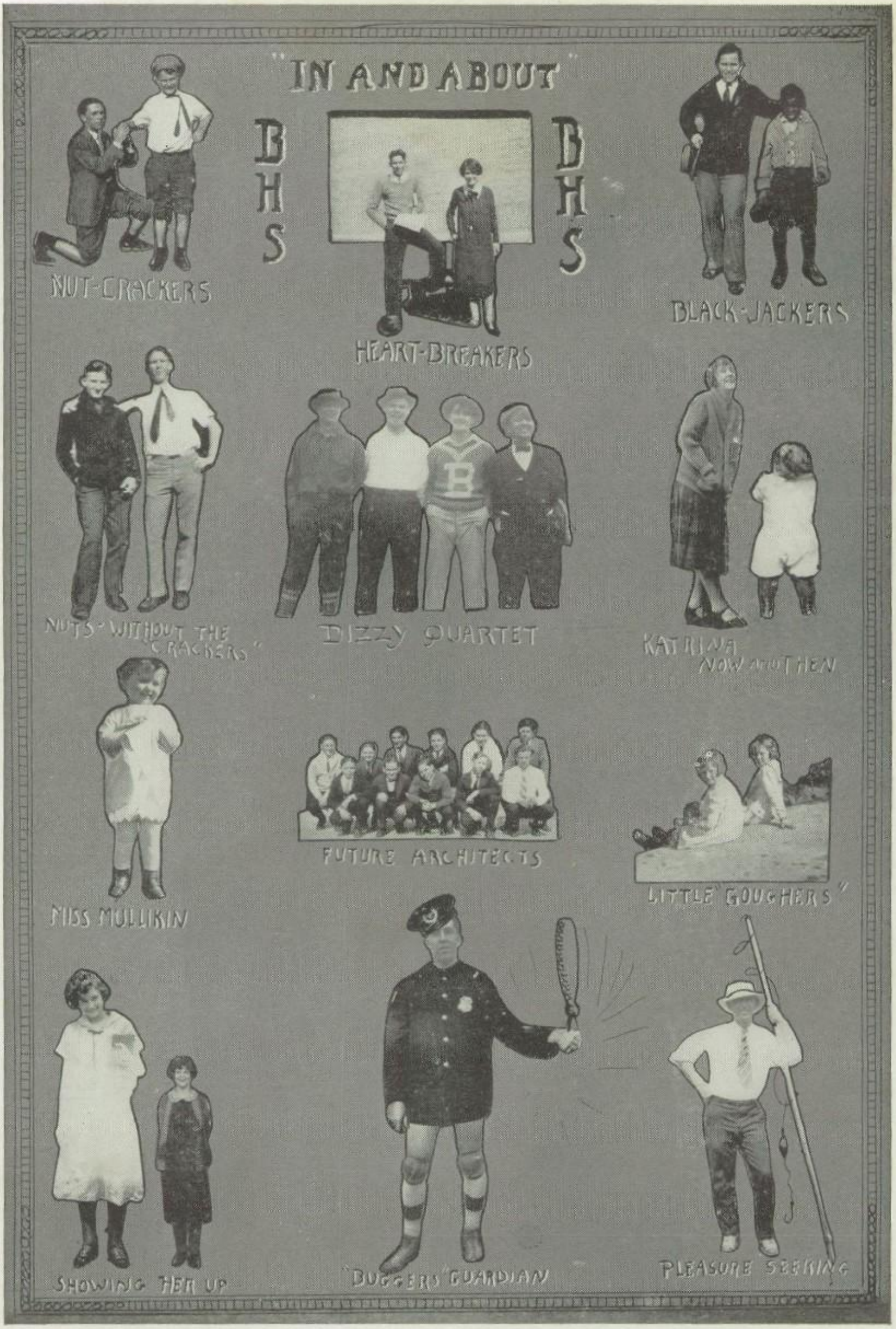
There is many a safety pin that carries more responsibility than a bank president.

The most dangerous curves are those sitting beside the driver.

A home without a mother is "An incubator."

Albert Jacobson took some books home the other night, and his father thought he had quit school.

All friends and relatives of Thomas Penecost and Tim Wills might be glad to know that they have entered the ministry.


"IN AND ABOUT"
B H S
B H S
NUT-CRACKERS
HEART-BREAKERS
BLACK-JACKERS
NUTS-WITHOUT THE CRACKERS"
DIZZY QUARTET
KATRINA NOW AND THEN
FUTURE ARCHITECTS
MISS MULLIKIN
LITTLE GOUGHERS"
SHOWING HER UP
"BUGGERS" GUARDIAN
PLEASURE SEEKING

BLOCKHEAD

He—"Why do all boys part their hair?"

She—"All blocks must have their alleys."

BUSINESS

Fred Pray—"See that big house over yonder?"

Randolph—"Yeah."

Fred—"And that snappy racer there?"

Ran—"Yeah."

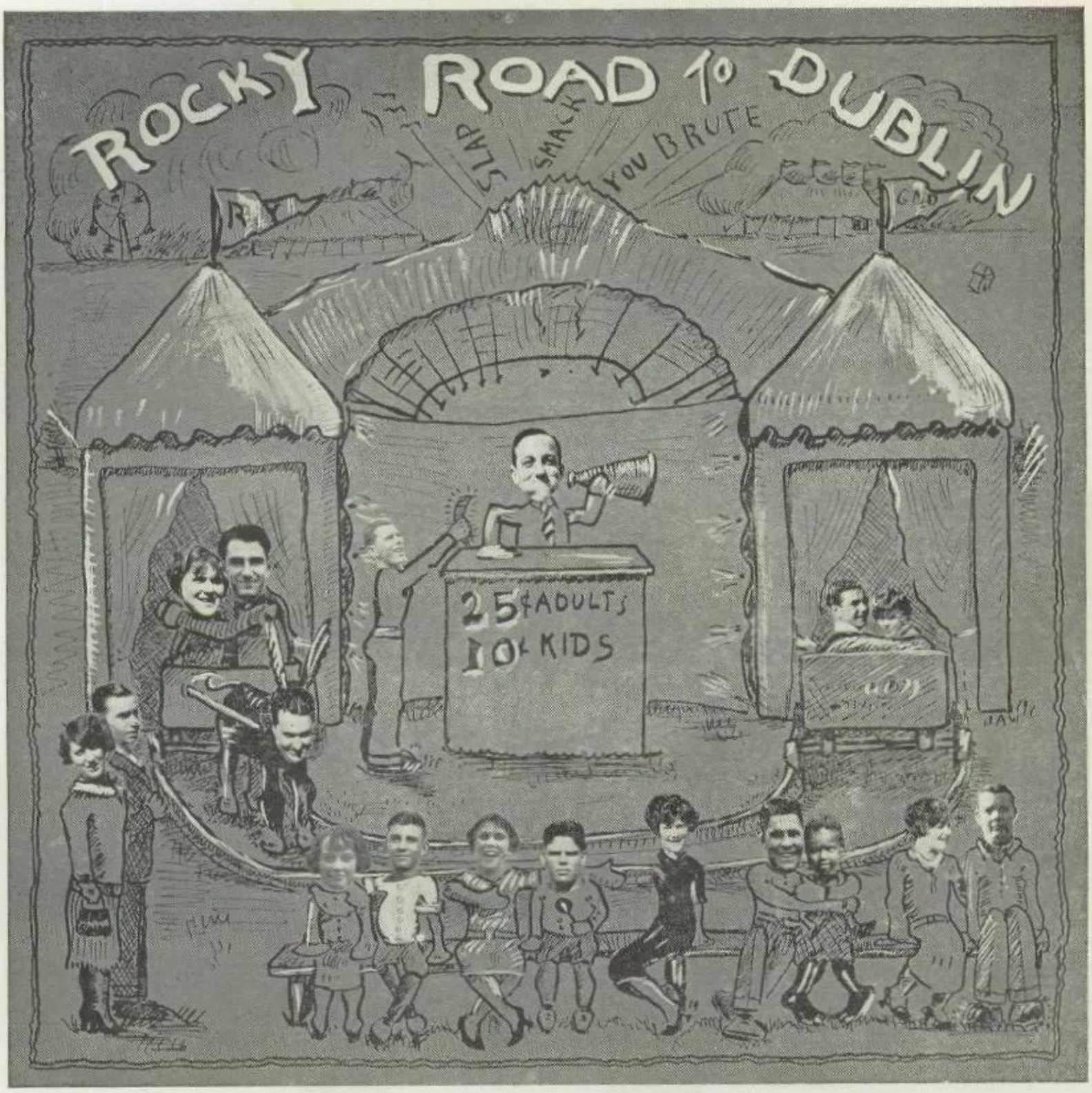
Fred—"And that good-looking girl across the street?"

Ran—"Yeah."

Fred—"Well, if you ever need glasses, my father's an optician."

THE TALE OF DENTY McGOWD

Here's the tale of Denty McGowd,
Who with his pants on fire dashed thru
the crowd,
When he went to the Doctor, he fainted
with fright,
For the doctor told him his end was in
sight.



"THE ROCKY ROAD"

The road is rocky, the way is steep,
Our trials are many, our troubles deep.

Life's all alluring before we start—
All words endearing, and—then we part.

We're up and away—we lovers agree
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Its steep and its rocky—rarely its smooth
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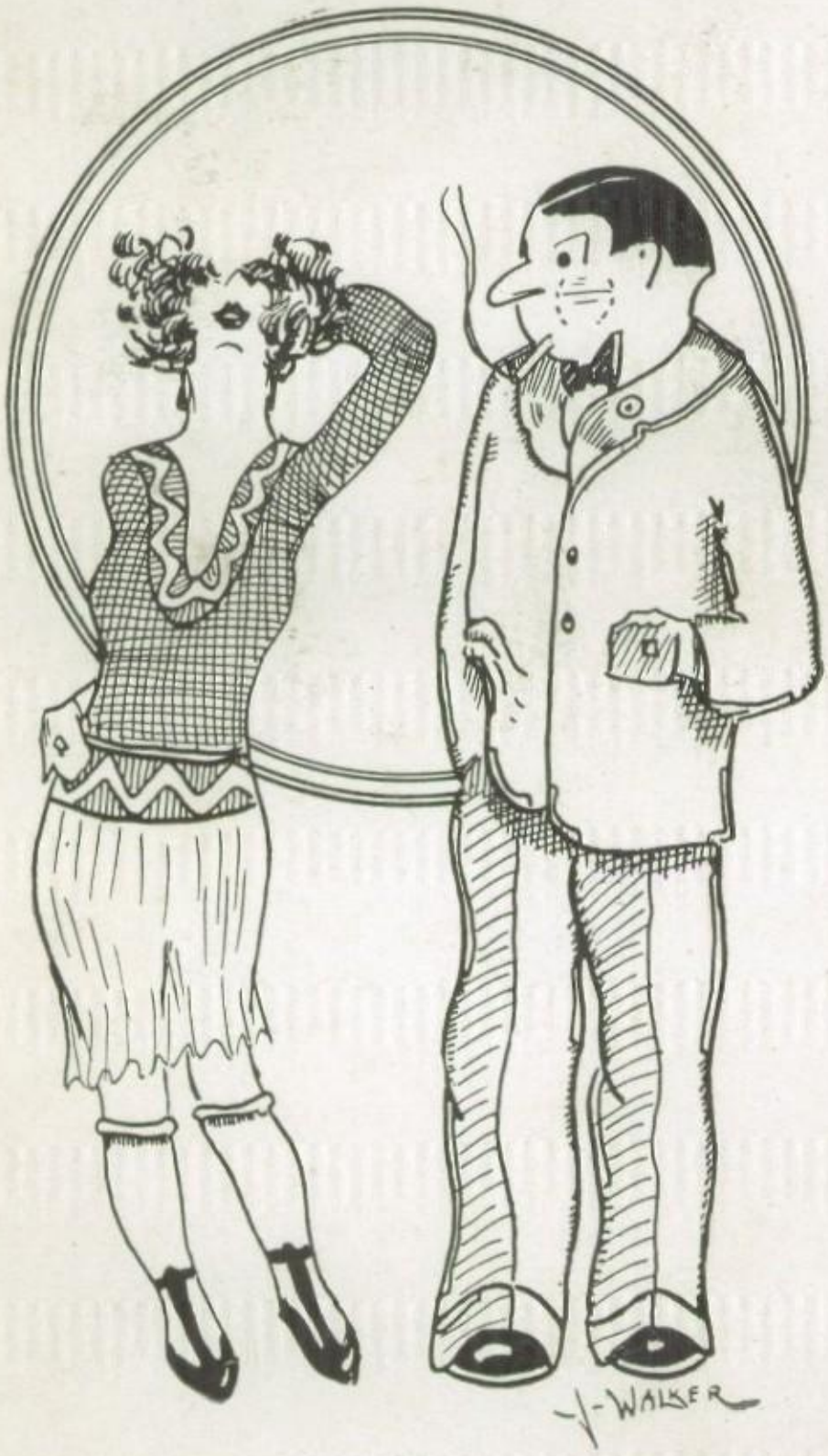

GENEROUS

Ed—"What are you going to do with your degree if you get it this year?"

Beans—"Give it to the old man, he paid for it."

SIMILAR

Abie—"That fighter reminds me of a cross word puzzle."

Ben—"Why, because his style is difficult to solve?"

Abie—"No, because he comes in vertical and goes out horizontal."

SOCIETY

"I'm entering society," said the oyster as Mrs. Vanderbilt swallowed it."

CORRECT

Augie—"That girl hit me on the peninsular the other day just because I watched her get on a street car."

Dot Fite—"What do you mean, Peninsula?"

Augie—"Oh, its a long, narrow neck, stretching out to sea, according to Mr. Webster."

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Penny
Shodda
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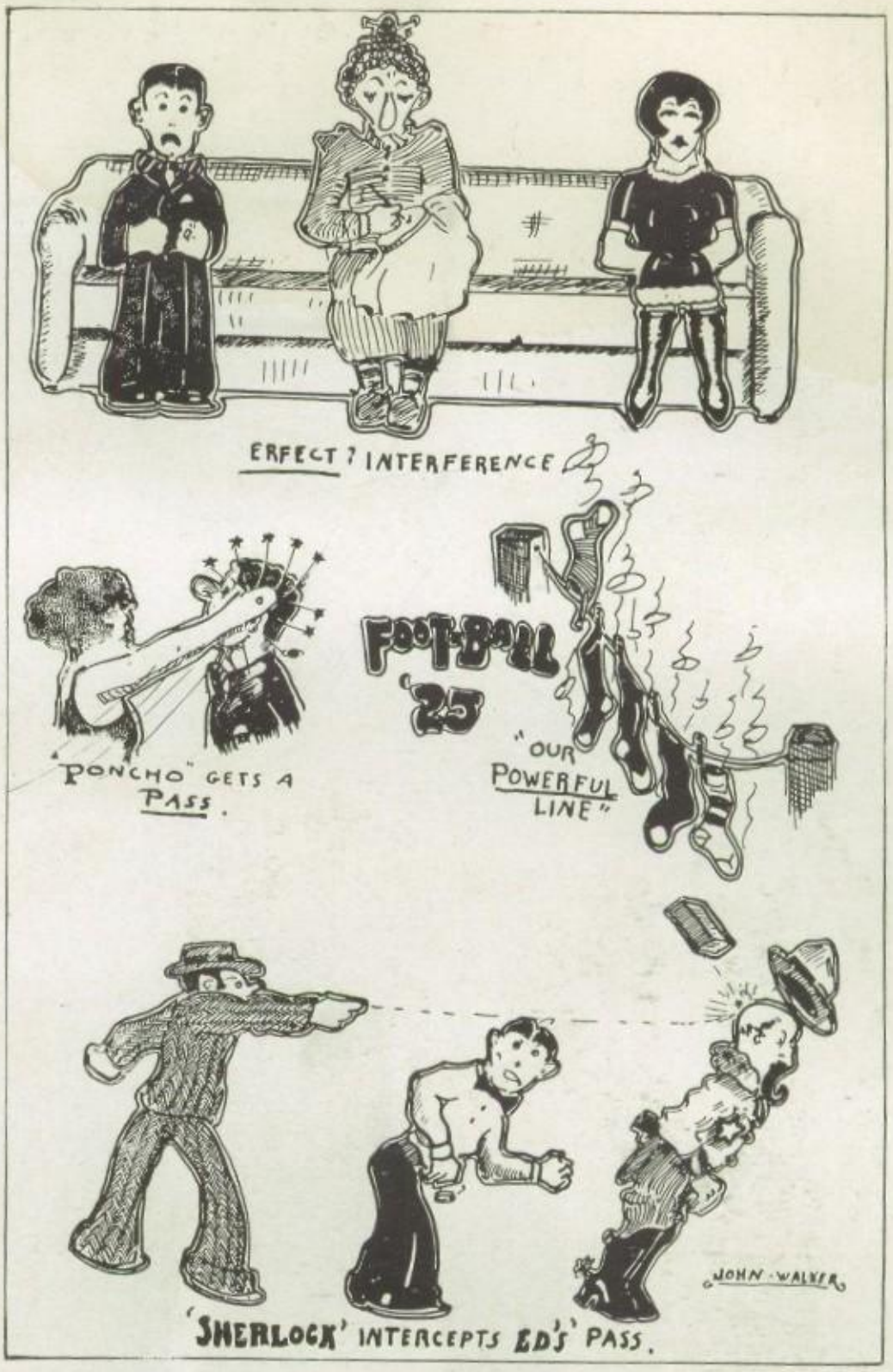

A BAD MAN

Jim—"I'm a regular gun man."

Pancho—"Ye-ah, always come h me half shot."

IRISH

Philip R.—"How much is a hair cut?"

Barber—"50c."

Philip—"A shave?"

Barber—"25c."

Philip—"Shave my head then."

GOLF

Smyth—"How do I know whether or not you are a good caddy?"

Boy—"I can't count over eighty, sir."

HUNGRY

Holly—"Where are you going to eat?"

Coach—"Let's eat up the street."

Holly—"Aw, no, I don't like asphalt."

TIGHT

Hadley—"Gimme a bite of your apple."

Philip—"Wait a minute, will ye, till I come to the worm?"

HONEST

Doorman (to gentleman trying to crash a dance)—"And who is the fellow you want to see inside?"

Hill—"Me."

DUMB

Helen H.—"You poor fish, don't fold your napkin in a cafe."

Buck—"I gotta, to get it in my pocket."

SPENDTHRITY

Joe B.—"Golla, those hot dogs smell good!"

Isadore—"Sure, I'll drive a little closer to the stand."

POLITICS

Beans Smith's nightmare after studying for four hours before going to bed.

"To hell with Boyle's Law! I won't vote for it."

BULL

Hadley—"Do you believe in the devil?"

Paul—"Naw, he is just like Santa Claus; he's your pap."

AT A DANCE

Wm. Thames—"Why do you come to all these dances late; don't you like to dance?"

C. A.—"Yes, but I like "Lucille Moore."

Maury—"I wonder how old Miss Ferguson is."

Billy—"Quite old, I imagine. They say she used to teach Caesar."

THINK TWICE

I used to say, "I love you dear",
And to myself I'd say, "I think",
But now before I fill her ear,
I think.

LUCKY GIRL

Blunkie—"I bought a bathing suit, it shrunk 4 inches in 5 minutes."

Lowell—"Lord, child, it is a good thing you came out when you did."

VERY FRANK

Miss Ferguson—"I say, sales person! Is this the mirror department?"

Clerk—"Yes, ma'am."

Miss F.—"Well, I'd like to see something odd in a mirror."

Clerk—"Yes, ma'am. Just take a look in this one, ma'am.

Mr. Gus—"Well, where are all the rest of the fools?"

Musick—"I don't know, Mr. Gus. It seems that we are the only two here."

LAZY

Smyth W.—"Gee, pop, I just swallowed a worm!"

Father—"Take a dring of water, quick and wash it down."

Smyth—"Aw, no; let him walk."

A WALLACE SPECIAL

Wallace (on visit to a battleship)—"And did they put those rocks way to the bottom of the ocean to build that breakwater?"

Buck—"No, they left two inches so that the fish could swim through."

SCANDAL

Va.—"Why, he's even been filing all her old love letters."

Gladys—"Gee, were they as rough as that?"

Mose—"Dat nigger sho am lucky."

Rastus—"How come?"

Mose—"When he sees the K.K.K. coming he turns white.

THE LAST WORD

The "Pine Burr" is finished, the Year Book of 1925 is ready for your criticisms and commendations. As you read through these pages that we have labored so hard to produce for you, we hope you will receive as much pleasure as we have experienced in collecting these pictures and news items of our school life of 1925. No work such as this could have been produced without the loyal co-operation of the whole school.

Not only was Miss Jennie adviser of the "Pine Burr", she was the busiest and most popular teacher in High School. It was always Miss Jennie who solved both our financial and editorial problems with her ever-ready suggestions. Although she had never attempted such work before, she went into it heart and soul and proved herself an ideal adviser, whom we all honored and loved. We challenge any school to find a teacher who can surpass any of our beloved Miss Jennie's qualities as a lady and adviser.

The work of the staff from the very beginning has been efficient. Not only have they done their work well, but they have done it with such a loyal spirit that the book appears as a unit and not as a group of disconnected parts. The editor wishes to thank them especially for carrying on the work so efficiently during the times he was absent from the city with the Basketball Team. Work with them has been pleasant, and he will always be glad he chose them to be his helpers.

No doubt the Senior teachers have been bothered more than any other group by our continuous asking of favors at most any time of any day. They have been very gracious and we appreciate this very much. We thank Mrs. Reed for helping us financially with the proceeds from her Shakespearian play, and we are deeply grateful to Mrs. Francis for the ready assistance which she rendered us in criticizing and making suggestions. The Typewriting Department responded readily every time we called upon them for help and this was greatly appreciated.

Words fail us when we try to enumerate the many helpful things that have come to us through the assistance of the office force. Mr. McDanald, Miss Ferguson, and Miss Andrews are due our sincerest appreciation. They have backed us in all of our undertakings and without their loyal support we could never have accomplished anything.

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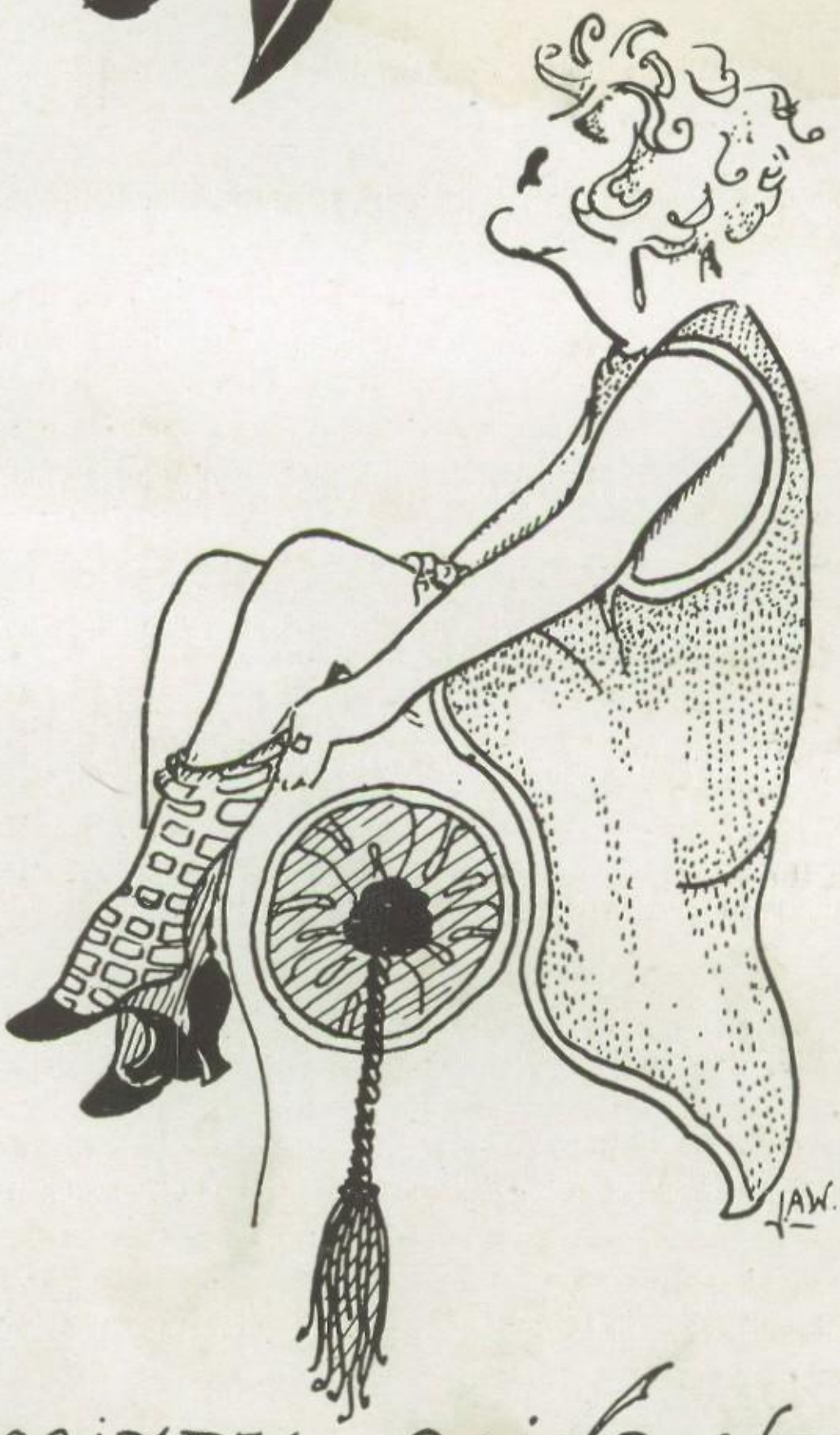

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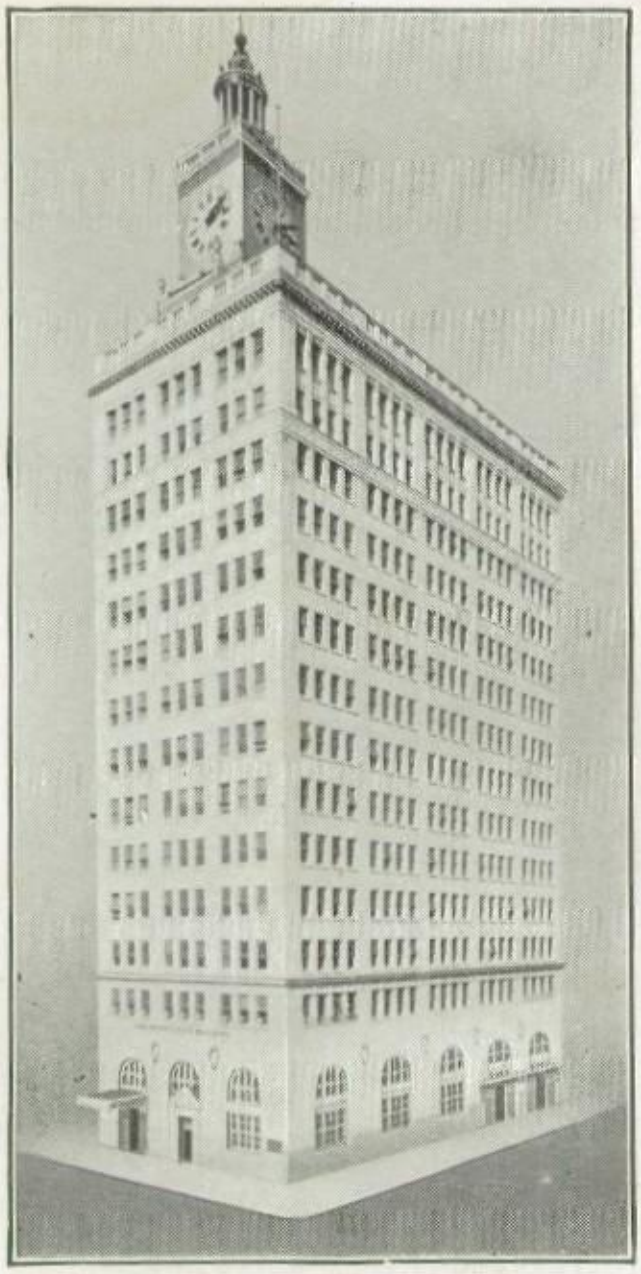

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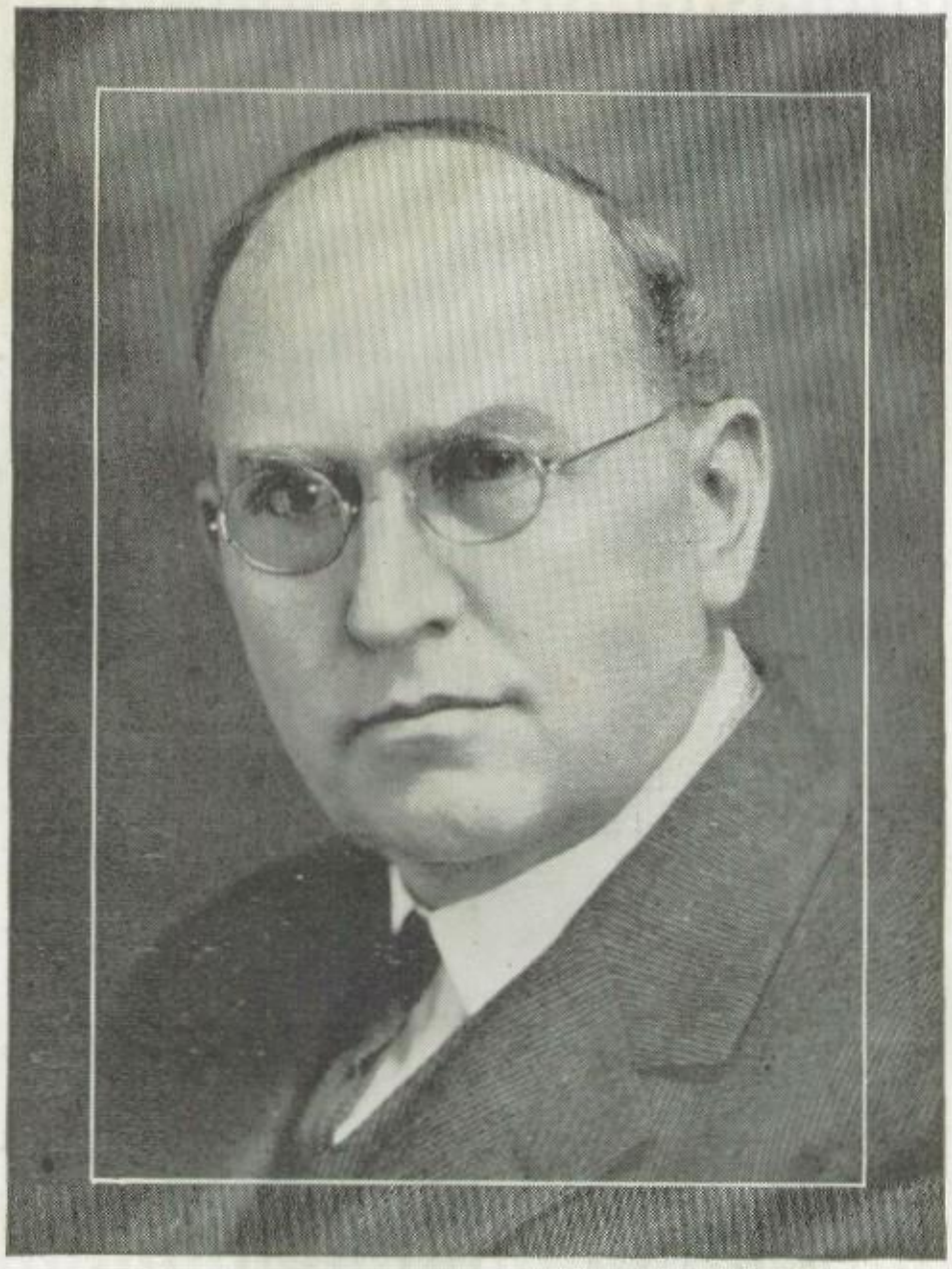

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